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Avalanche Job Office, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.

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County Court, Thomas Leonard, Judge; corner Union and Second streets.

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Common Law Court, O. D. Pierce, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, second floor.

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DeSoto Insurance and Trust Company, 42 Madison street.

Duff, W. L., attorney at law, 288 Main street.

Dente, John A., dealer in corn, oats, hay, etc, 41 South Court street.

Dalton & Price, book and job printers, 9 Jefferson street.

Evans, D. H., wholesale liquors, 384 Front street.

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Merchants' National Bank, 8 Jefferson street.

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Moon & Geoghegan, dealers in agricultural implements, 252 Front street.

Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor No. 31 Madison street, Memphis Tenn.

Megibben & Bro., liquor dealers, 281 Main street.

McMahon & Otis, Insurance Agents, corner Madison and Second streets

Montgomery & Co, J. E., Steamboat Agents, foot of Jefferson street.

Menken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 262 Main street

Memphis and Louisville Railroad, office 237½ Main street.

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New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.

Peyton, J. T., attorney at law, Lee Block, 15 Union street.

Power & McGeoy, merchant tailors, 288 Second street.

Packer, H. B., coal dealer, 233 Main street.

Powell & Co., F., advertising agents, 51 Union street.

Pattison & Co, George, dealers in books and stationery, 317½ Main street.

Perane, M., millinery and dress making, 237½ Main street.

Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Block, Second street.

Postoffice, corner of Third and Jefferson streets. R. C. Gist, Postmaster.

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Robeson, Sneed & Co., fashionable clothiers, 261 Main street.

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Southern Farmer, office 47 Court street.

Sturdivant & Co, C. W., grocery and commission merchants, 182 Front street.

Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, 32 Madison street.

Stoddard & Co, A. M., auctioneers, 230 Second street.

Scruggs, T. T. and R. R., attorneys at law, 34 Union street

St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.

Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 312 Second street.

Semmes & Co., R. J., importers and dealers in liquors, 254 Second street.

Swanwick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.

Smith, Owen, undertaker, 308 northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.

Telegraph Office, 27 South Court street.

Terry & Mitchell, wholesale boots and shoes, 329 Main street.

Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 10 Jefferson street.

United States Insurance Company, 279 Main street.

United States Court, C. F. Trigg, Judge; No. 480 Main street, third floor.

Vinson & Donohue, steamboat agents, 284 Front street, up stairs.

Varieties Theater, corner Washington and Main streets.

Ward & Co. R. D., seed dealers, 244 Main street.

Walt & Co, M., steamboat agents, 270 Front street.

Wright & McKissick, attorneys at law, Kit Williams Block, corner Madison and Second streets.

Yerger & Hale, attorneys at law, Library Building, Third street, near Jefferson.

Zweifel, Dom, lager beer depot, 84½ Adams street.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The White Man's Platform.

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—Stephen A. Douglas.

Hear President LINCOLN in reply:

I AM NOT, NOR EVER HAVE BEEN, IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people, and I will say, in addition to this, that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black race, which, I believe, *will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality*—and, inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I, as much as any other man, am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMPERTINENT *Fanatics and Abolitionists ever get the power into their own hands, they will override the Constitution, set the Supreme Court at defiance, change and make* Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion or dare question their fidelity; and finally, bankrupt the country and deluge it with blood."

On September 2, 1843, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first destroy all harmony, and finally lead to disunion—perpetual war—the extinction of the African race—ultimate military despotism.

But the great aim and object of your tract should be to arouse the laboring classes of the free States against Abolition. Depict the consequences to them of immediate emancipation. The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; they would enter into competition with the free labor; with the American, the Irish, the German; reduce his wages, be confounded with him, and affect his moral and social standing. And as the ultras go both for Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the laboring white man and the laboring black woman, *to reduce the white laboring man to the despised and degraded condition of the black man.*

I would show their opposition to Colonization. Show its humane, religious and patriotic aim. That they are to separate those whom God had separated. Why do the Abolitionists oppose Colonization? To keep and amalgamate together the two races, in violation of God's will, and to keep the blacks here that they may interfere with, degrade and debase the laboring whites. Show that the British Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article, that will be felt in every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let me hear from you on this subject.

A splendid fruit crop is anticipated in Arkansas.

"Bloody Moon Polka" is the name of a new piece of music just out at Nashville.

A company in New Orleans have commenced the manufacture of artificial ice.

At the Newmarket spring meeting, the Prince of Wales stakes were won by Kingsland.

The ladies of Hazelhurst, Mississippi, are striving to raise funds in aid of the building a Presbyterian church at that place.

The defense rested their case on the Cole murder trial Wednesday. Their evidence throughout tended to show the insanity of the prisoner.

The decoration of Confederate graves has been postponed at Somerville until the 9th of May. General John L. T. Sneed and Colonel T. S. Gallaway are expected to deliver addresses on the occasion.

The Sheriff of Russell county, Alabama, has been removed by the Meade for not arresting a man who has been in Texas several months, and for whom a warrant was issued only three weeks ago.

Mr. Chadeyne, of Titusville, Pennsylvania, whose wife and daughter were very seriously injured by the fearful accident at Angola, has effected a settlement with the railroad company, by which he received the sum of $10,000.

The late account of an eagle carrying off a child in Quincy, published by the Quincy *Whig*, was an April fool sell. The babe was carried off, but the eagle was the steamer "Grey Eagle," plying between Keokuk and Quincy.

Seven South Carolina negroes received orders for corn and bacon in consideration of their voting the Radical ticket. The provisions were not forthcoming, and now they publish a card stating that they are conscientious and will vote with the Conservatives.

Two years since a hole was bored for oil at Rocky river, near Cleveland. Without reaching oil the workmen were driven off by escaping gas, to which fire was afterward set, and has been burning ever since, in a flame from six to twenty feet high.

A "professor" of elocution is in training in Cleveland for a walk from that city to Chicago in ten days, proposing to give a lecture on elocution at the end of each day's walk. He says he recently walked ten miles, on the Lake Shore railroad track, in eighty-five minutes.

General Halleck is fortifying Alaska. He has established a fort on Kodiac Island, and another on the Gulf of Chugachink, both garrisoned from the Second artillery and bristling with cannon. Now he had better look for an enemy to attack these formidable works.

Died, at the residence of J. H. Kee, near Somerville, Tennessee, on the 27th day of April, 1868, Mr. Hinton Holloway, aged seventy years. The deceased was a native of Wake county, North Carolina, and for many years a resident of Fayette county, Tennessee, and Dallas county, Arkansas, where he has numerous friends.

The Masons and Odd Fellows propose to have a celebration at Athens, McMinn county, Tennessee, on the 24th of June, the Anniversary of St. John the Baptist. One of the chief specialities of the day will be the laying the corner stone of the new Masonic and Odd Fellows' Hall, to be erected there during the present summer. Brethren far and near are expected to be present, and the occasion will no doubt be the most interesting and imposing that has been witnessed there for years.

In Dayton, last week, a loving couple, who were enjoying "the best the house afforded" at one of the leading hotels, and paying each other such delightful attentions as, in the estimation of their fellow boarders, could only pass between a newly married couple, were abruptly separated by the advent of the "lady's" real husband on the scene of action, and his generous promise to take her home and treat her "just as though nothing had happened." The man of money and "gentlemanly manners," who had seduced her from her home, was suffered to go about his business."

AFRICA.

Dr. Livingstone's Safety—Sir Roderick Murchison's Letter.

[To the Editor of the London Times.]

I have just received a letter from Dr. Kirk, at Zanzibar, dated February 4th, in which he announces the arrival of the Arab messenger, Bunduki, so long expected, who has brought with him dispatches and letters from Dr. Livingstone himself. The following is a very brief abstract of Dr. Kirk's long letter, which will be read before the Royal Geographical Society at their next meeting, on the 27th instant, before which time I trust the dispatches themselves will have reached England.

The information now received completely confirms the account of the route taken by Dr. Livingstone round the southern end of Lake Nyassa, which was brought home by the Livingstone Search Expedition. It appears that our great traveler proceeded northward at a long distance to the west of the lake, and in course of time arrived at Lobisa, formerly a thickly inhabited town, but now almost deserted. In these elevated lands, covered with humid forests and destitute of game, the party suffered much from hunger; but on approaching the southern extremity of Lake Tanganyika they reached Mtuka, in the Wemba country, where there was abundance of cattle and food, and where they recovered their strength. It was here that Livingstone met with the trading caravans from Zanzibar, and delivered the letters to Bunduki, who has had them twelve months in his possession. Reliable information has also been received at Zanzibar, of the arrival of Livingstone at Ujiji, half way along the Lake Tanganyika, where it is satisfactory to know provisions, stores and letters sent from England and Zanzibar, have long been waiting for him.

The clear and definite proofs obtained by the boat expedition to Lake Nyassa, under the command of Mr. Young, quite satisfied most of my countrymen that I had judged rightly in adopting the belief that the whole story of the murder of Dr. Livingstone was a falsehood. But since then many have doubted the possibility of my dear friend ever coming alive out of the heart of Africa.

With our present cheering information, every one may now, however, enjoy with me the prospect of once more welcoming David Livingstone, on his return to an admiring country.

I am your obedient servant,
RODERICK I. MURCHISON.
Royal Geographical Society, April 8, 1868.

LEGAL.

Decisions of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, at Brownsville, April Term, '68.

[Reported for the Avalanche, by Judge R. R. Heath, of the Memphis Bar.]

Polly G. Hawkins vs. N. C. Humble.

The defendant in error hired a slave to Frank Hawkins for the year 1861, and took said Hawkins' bond for the hire, to which bond the plaintiff in error become the surety. In June of that year, said slave quit the service of the said Frank Hawkins, without good cause, and did not again return to him, but went into the service of the defendant in error, and remained with him to the end of the year. In October, 1861, the defendant in error and said Frank Hawkins, without the consent or knowledge of the plaintiff in error, entered into an arrangement whereby the bond was credited with the value of the hire of the slave, from June, 1861, to the end of the year, and the defendant in error retained it, and since that time has brought this warrant for the balance against the plaintiff in error. The judgment below was against the present plaintiff in error, who appealed.

The Court holds, Milligan, Judge, delivering the opinion of the Court as follows:

First, that, as the slave abandoned the service of Hawkins, without reasonable cause, and went into the service of the defendant in error, and was by him so permitted to remain till the end of the year, the defendant in error could not have recovered even for the services of the slave for the time the slave was in the service of the said Hawkins.

Second, that as the defendant in error had defeated his right of recovery of anything, for the hire of said slave, and so had destroyed the contract, no arrangement *made by him with Frank Hawkins* could set up the contract again, against the plaintiff in error, without her special assent, which was not shown. The judgment, which was for the defendant in error, is reversed, and the cause is remanded to the court below.

Turberville vs. Roach.

The sole question presented by the record is, whether under the Code, section 2,918, etc., a *separate* demand can be set off against a *joint* debt.

The Court held, Milligan, Judge, delivering the opinion as follows:

Our courts, so far as we are informed, (ever since the adoption of the Code) have ever held that a demand not mutual could be pleaded, by way of set off, or cross action by defendant, and though great innovations have been made by the Code, yet at section 2,918 the principle of mutuality of debt, in order to constitute a set off, is plainly recognized; and the reason for its enforcement remains now as fully as before the Code; a joint demand cannot be set off against a separate one, nor vice versa, upon the grounds mentioned in Peck's Reports, 186, and 2d Yerger, 258, that they are not mutual debts. If this could be done a surety could be made to pay the debt of his principal, which he never contracted to pay; and a co-contractor, a debt not contemplated at the time between the parties. The verdict and judgment were right in the court below, for the plaintiff, disallowing the set off; and the judgment is affirmed.

Affairs at Washington.

[Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Louisville Courier]

WASHINGTON, April 29.

Sumner paraded his littleness of soul before the court to-day, offering a resolution censuring Nelson for language in reply to Butler yesterday. His remarks were not in good taste, but were no more improper than Butler's. Sumner was the only Radical mean enough to draw a distinction between them. The court refused to consider the resolution. Nelson then read the letter which gave rise to the controversy, showing its date was March 9th, subsequent to the inauguration of proceedings in impeachment, and that this Alta Vela claim to the President by four managers and other Radicals were procured for the purpose of protecting the President from censure; but when Judge Black presented it to the President, suggesting the indorsement would shield him, Johnson said he would not trust the rascals, although they indorsed the paper.

Evarts will not finish until to-morrow. His argument to-day held the court and galleries in wrapt attention. It is conceded that it is clear, cogent and convincing, and the effect is apparent in the reaction of sentiment among outsiders. Even Radicals now admit the result to be doubtful. Evarts used his power of sarcasm on Boutwell and Butler with extraordinary effect. The latter withdrew from the chamber in disgust at Evarts' reference to his powder ship exploit against Fort Fisher, comparing his sound and fury in the Senate Chamber to that famous fiasco.

Stanbery will speak in person, following Evarts.

The Reconstruction Committee this morning considered the South Carolina constitution, but arrived at no definite conclusion. It is understood the Southern States will be speedily admitted under the bill offered yesterday. The Radicals see in that course the only hope of carrying the Presidential election.

General Meade telegraphs Grant that the Georgia constitution is ratified, Bullock is elected but that the Legislature is Democratic.

The New York *Tribune's* suggestion to admit Arkansas Senators and allow them to vote in impeachment is severely criticised. A distinguished Radical said that it was a scandalous proposition and an insult to the Senate.

Schofield's nomination to the War office has not been taken up by the Senate, and no further nominations will be considered by that body.

Colfax being confident of the nomination for the Vice Presidency, Pomeroy, of New York; Blaine, of Maine, and Julian, of Indiana, are candidates for Speaker in that event.

Reports that Wade has selected his Cabinet are destitute of truth. He asserts emphatically that it is not true.

Chase's declaration of hostility to the Jacobins is creating a sensation in political circles.

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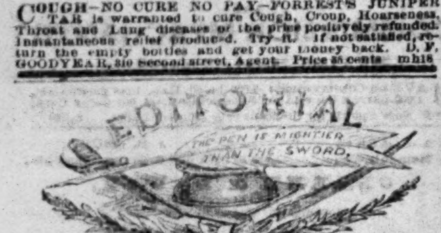
EDITORIAL
THE PEN IS MIGHTIER THAN THE SWORD.

SATURDAY, : : : : : MAY 2, 1868

WE HAVE good news for the friends of liberty and freedom. It will be seen from our special telegraphic dispatches this morning, that despotism, usurpation and tyranny has been checkmated. For five months the bloodhounds of Radicalism have been hounding at our heels. In utter violation of the Constitution and laws of Tennessee they have been laboring to subsidize the AVALANCHE, and to incarcerate its editors in a dungeon, for daring to tell the truth. But, the Supreme Court, composed of men whose patriotism rises above party bias, and party bigotry, have estoped the contemptible game of petty despots. Yesterday a *supersedeas* was issued by the Supreme Court, at Brownsville, in the HUNTER contempt cases against the AVALANCHE, and we are still freemen, and this press is free—free to expose corruption—free to denounce an infamous judge—free to tell the truth, and free to say to the world that a partizan judge takes straw bail. When the halls of torture, and the dungeons of "The Most Holy Inquisition" were broken open, the instruments of torture exposed to the gaze of the indignant populace, and the poor, trembling prisoners released from the terrors and agony of daily torture, the Grand Inquisitor and his humane associates were no doubt exceeding wroth. The contemptible, the infamous thief and defaulter, will moan and groan when he sees that Constitutional law has triumphed, and that we are about to escape that dungeon to which he would consign us for the balance of the year for simply telling the truth—for announcing in our paper facts which we are ready to prove by Radical authority. Thank GOD, the unclean swine, the carpet-bag scalawags cannot always trample under their unhallowed feet the liberties of the people. The Supreme Court of Tennessee is the bulwark of the people's rights. It has intimated to petty tyrants that they can go thus far and no farther. The freedom of the press has justly been called the palladium of American liberty. It rejoices our heart to know that this freedom has been vindicated. This press is not yet muzzled. The Star Chamber and the Roman Inquisition has been repudiated in Tennessee. All hail to free speech and a free press!

THIS is commemoration day. Ten thousand mourners will meet at Elmwood this morning to pay tribute to the illustrious dead. We have exhausted this subject. We can only invoke our friends to repair to this Mecca, where they can worship and idolize brave men. General BEAUREGARD, in a recent letter, speaking of the dead, says: "We entered it with that reserve which is due to the abode of the dead, and I left it shortly afterwards with a saddened heart at the thought that the graves of so many of our brave Confederates should be still uncared for by friends or foes. A true-hearted soldier feels the same respect for the grave of a gallant enemy as for that of a brother-in-arms—and I am yet to learn that a single Federal grave has ever been desecrated by a true Confederate soldier." No true Federal soldier will object to the ceremonies we propose to-day. It is from small minds, not from the officers and soldiers of the Federal army, that any objections may be expected. If any opposition comes it is from a more contemptible quarter. Let us all meet to-day and weep over the bones of our glorious and immortal dead. They are excluded from those vast cemeteries of Federal dead which so abound in the South, and this fact has made the trust of covering their humble graves as sacred to our lovely women as a religious duty.

WHILE we commemorate our dead to-day it is due to their memories and to their survivors to show the odds against which these noble men fought and died. An abstract of the returns of the Confederate armies show that the greatest number of soldiers of all arms and ranks on the rolls at any one time, was 550,000; the greatest number present for duty at any one time was 300,000, and then only for a brief period, besides a few thousand rangers and bushwhackers. At only three periods did Lee's army number 100,000 present for duty. When McCLELLAN, with 147,000 men, feared to advance towards Manassas, supposing the enemy had 150,000 men, their actual force was less than 40,000. When McCLELLAN reached the Peninsula and was held in check at Yorktown by MAGRUDER, with what he supposed to be the whole rebel army, MAGRUDER had barely 15,000. When he reached the Chickahominy with over 100,000 men, and feared to advance because he estimated the enemy's force at over 200,000, they had but 47,000, which was increased in May to 67,000. When MEADE reached the Rappahannock after Gettysburg with 80,000 men, LEE had but 45,000. This was when HALLECK was directing operations, and he forbade the offensive. In October, when MEADE had 70,000 and LEE 45,000, MEADE was driven back within sight of Washington. There are many other figures in these returns which will be found more interesting, historically, than gratifying to military pride. In spite of Northern preponderance of numbers the rebels generally managed to be the strongest at the point of attack. The Federal triumph was not achieved by military genius in the commanders, but by the patient endurance and most lavish sacrifice of the men, and by an expenditure of means as if the national resources had no limit.

TO-MORROW'S AVALANCHE will be one of the most interesting numbers ever issued, and those who fail to procure a copy will be deprived of a treat rarely afforded in a single issue of a Southern journal. The ceremonies at Elmwood to-day, including full reports of the addresses, the poems entire, and a graphic description of every incident connected therewith, will appear in to-morrow's issue. In addition, it will contain a lengthy communication from Hon. R. G. BLAKE, Probate Judge of Mercer county, Ohio, answering Judge HUNTER's late card, and proving, by official records properly certified, each of his statements to be a deliberate falsehood. It will not fail to create a profound sensation, and gibbet to eternal infamy this unworthy occupant of the Criminal bench. A most important convention of the stockholders of the Mississippi Central railroad will be held to-day, at Water Valley, in which a final disposition of that corporation will be made. A full report of the proceedings will appear to-morrow; and we shall also publish an account of the proceedings of the Supreme Court granting writs of error and *supersedeas* in the AVALANCHE contempt case, together with other decisions. The great races—one of three mile heats—announced for to-day, will be reported even more fully than those of the previous day, to which will be added a summary of the week. Besides, there will be several important editorials—one relative to the BLAKE *expose*—general news, telegraphic, local and otherwise, and the usual commercial, monetary and river reports. To-morrow's AVALANCHE will be a complete newspaper in all departments. We shall issue a very large edition, of which advertisers should avail themselves.

THE good people of Germantown are involved in a very unpleasant discussion about paupers and pauper funds. The Rev. J. DIX MILLS, in a communication in the AVALACHE of the —th instant, traveled outside of the merits of the controversy by referring to a firm of merchants in our city, who are too well known for highest business capacity and integrity to be the subject of Mr. MILLS' unwise and unjust criticism. Perhaps Mr. MILLS cannot even appreciate the worth of honesty or good breeding, and had better devote himself to the study of theology.

TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

BROWNSVILLE.

Special to the Avalanche.]

BROWNSVILLE, TENN., May 1, 1868.

In the Supreme Court this morning, on application of Colonel M. C. Gallaway, he obtained writs of error and *supersedas*, suspending and staying the judgment of the Criminal Court committing him to prison for contempt, and the judgment of the Municipal Court on *habeas corpus* remanding him to custody. Questions as to jurisdiction reserved. Among the members of the bar present there was no dissenting opinion. All concur that he will be discharged.

The following proceedings were had on the 30th:

Cox vs. Wood, Barnett & Co.—Judgment of Circuit Court of Benton county affirmed. Smith, Judge.

Parks vs. Rogers et al.—Judgment of Circuit Court of Weakley county affirmed. Milligan, Judge.

Aden vs. Howard—Judgment of Circuit Court of Henry county affirmed. Smith, Judge.

Newhouse, administrator, vs. Bryant, administrator—Judgment of Circuit Court of Gibson county affirmed. Milligan, Judge.

Cousins vs. Laymons—Judgment of Circuit Court of Gibson county reversed. Milligan, Judge.

Ramsey & Gilbert vs. Killough—Judgment of Circuit Court of Carroll county reversed. Smith, Judge.

Greenwood vs. Ruff et al.—Decree of Chancery Court at Huntingdon affirmed, and bill dismissed, Milligan, Judge.

Perkins vs. Williams—Decree of Chancery Court at Lexington affirmed. Injunction dissolved and bill dismissed. Smith, Judge.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 1.

The receipts from customs from April 20 to 30, inclusive, were $3,500,000.

At a Cabinet meeting—Seward, Browning, Randall and General Thomas present—nothing beyond ordinary Department routine matters were considered.

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MEXICO.

HAVANA, May 1.

Dispatches from the City of Mexico are to the 20th of April.

Congress had finally passed a condemnation of the concession to the English company for the building of the Vera Cruz and Mexico City railroad.

The rebellion of General Negrete was unsupressed. It was reported that he was raising troops in the North. Canales was reported as about to make common cause with Negrete.

The settlement of troubles in Saloa, by the national authorities, is expected not to be permanent. Four hundred of the Yagua Indians were surprised at night by the State troops of Sonora, and all butchered.

Senor Calixto was kidnapped and held to ransom in the sum of $10,000.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, May 1.

The fifteenth quadrennial session of the Methodist Episcopal Church opens here to-day. The Southern States are fully represented.

Bishop Morris presides. The question as to the admission of representatives of the Mission Conference in the Southern States, two of whom are colored, was taken up and referred to a committee.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 1.

The *Herald* prints a letter from Judge Black to the President, withdrawing as the latter's counsel, owing to the President's determination to do nothing for the relief of the owners of Alta Vela. He says he never asked the President to decide on the matter, until he had expressed the opinion that the title was legal and just. Mr. Black says: "Seward's little finger, it appears, is thicker than the loins of the law. He and the thieves whose interests he guarded so faithfully are welcome to the short-lived victory they have won. My retirement from your cause will not, probably, diminish the chances of its success."

GEORGIA.

NEW YORK, May 1.

The *Tribune's* Atlanta special, dated April 30, says: The official returns from 116 counties put Bullock 8,140 ahead. The reports down to-night indicate a Republican majority in the State, and that the State Senate and House will have Republican majorities.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, May 1.

General Buchanan has issued an order to the effect that the discharging of freedmen by the owners of plantations with whom they have made labor contracts, on account of the former participating in elections, will not be tolerated, and any planter who shall discharge a freedman from his employ for such cause, will be bound to the terms of his contract with such freedman. Money paid to a freedman for wages will be deducted from his share of the proceeds when sold, he being entitled to receive wages from the date of his discharge, in addition to the amount due him at that date, as provided by existing laws.

The Republican Convention to-day nominated H. C. Warmoth, W. P. Kellogg, Bernard Soulin and Thomas W. Conway delegates from the State at large to the Chicago Convention. District nominations will be made to-morrow.

The case of Joubert, colored Alderman, against the Convent of the Sacred Heart, for ten thousand dollars damages for the rejection of his daughter as pupil, was dismissed, on the ground that the school is not an incorporated body, hence, cannot be sued. The merits of the case were not touched upon.

General Buchanan issues an order to-day, carrying into effect Grant's quarantine order.

GALVESTON.

GALVESTON, May 1.

To-day's special express from Monterey of the 24th of April, brings official complaint from Consul Ulrich to Secretary Seward, that an outrage was committed on six American merchants at Monterey, named Loichondt, Potter, Kathens, Montgomery, Scopton and Rice, and they were sent to the calaboose by order of the Governor's Secretary, and detained among filth, vermin and the vilest of felons, until the following morning, when they were ordered to perform disgusting offices; sweep the prison. Upon refusing they were flogged by felon order. The jailor was arraigned before the alcalde, fined and compelled to pay for retaining their watches and money. No apology or redress was offered.

The Waco, Texas, *Examiner*, of the 28th, reports the killing of six persons in that county in one day.

BOSTON.

BOSTON, May 1.

Big fight to-day between George Cheer and Mike O'Brien. The victory was awarded to the latter in consequence of "foul."

SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.

Ex-Governor John Bigelow is one of the delegates to the National Democratic Convention.

Axtell will be renominated to Congress.

Anson Burlingame, of the Chinese embassy, sailed for New York to-day.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, May 1.

The Debate in the Honse of Commons, last night on Gladstone's resolution for the abolition of the Irish Church, was continued to a late hour. Gladstone made a powerful speech against the continuance of the Irish Church. Disraeli called the scheme one of confiscation and violence. A division then took place on the first resolution, which was adopted by sixty-five majority. Disraeli said the Ministry would require time to know what course to pursue. Disraeli and Governor Osborne consulted with the Queen.

Fortieth Congress---First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 1.

Mr. Evarts commenced with an apology for so long having occupied the time and attention of the court, saying that he would claim their indulgence but a little while longer. He then proceeded to consider the power of the President to fill vacancies under the acts of 1792, 1795 and 1796. He admitted that the act of 1863 limited the choice for appointments of Secretaries *ad interim*, in certain cases, to the heads of other Departments, but he argued that under the act of 1793, which allowed him to choose for all officers employed in the Departments, and the President had full warrant for the appointment of General Thomas, who was then Adjutant General. Referring to the action of Mr. Lincoln in appointing an *ad interim* successor to Mr. Blair as Postmaster General, he said the appointment was made under the authority only implied by the acts of 1792 and 1795, which did not relate to the Post Office Department at all. He asked why that conduct was not considered an impeachable offense. He then maintained that it made no difference either in the theory or practice of the government, whether the temporary appointments were made during the session or a recess of the Senate, and instanced four examples, viz: Nelson in 1864, Scott in 1850, and Kelley and Holt in 1861, as ample warrants for his assertion. Passing to the first article, he said he would consider at the outset the nature of the positions occupied by members of the Cabinet. He would again refer to the opinions of Mr. Boutwell only to say that he might name three more Senators now before him, who would share with the others, what he had maintained upon such positions, by the honorable Managers. He then read the address to Mr. Lincoln signed by thirty Senators, written in 1862, to urge the removal of Blair so as to secure harmonious action, and those opinions were expressed by fifteen Senators now present on the subject of Cabinet relations, which he (Evarts) fully indorsed. He further quoted from the speeches of Mr. Sherman and others that in the debate on the passage of the Tenure-of-Office bill, and the explanation report of the Committee of Conference, and various expressions and arguments, which uncontradicted opinions and explanations, he claimed, were accepted as the proper interpretation of the bill, and as acted upon by the President. He held that it would be monstrous to convict him by the same voices which gave utterance to or conceived in these authoritative declarations that the bill did reach or effect the relations of Mr. Stanton and the President. He also read from a report made by Messrs. Shenck and Williams, which he claimed had bound the House to the same conclusion as the Senate. The argument of Mr. Boutwell that the practice had always been to send in the names of those appointed before making any removals, he met by the considerations that removals are generally made, not because the incumbents are unfit, but because political favorites are to be put in. The instances of removals of Cabinet officers are only few, for the simple reason that a polite hint is usually sufficient to induce resignation. He then referred to instances of removals of various officers during the session of the Senate, which had been put in evidence, and went on to argue the necessity for the existence of such a power in the last removal, by some suppositions of cases where delay would lead to disastrous consequences, and alluded to the confessions in Mr. Butler's speech, that if the President had properly notified the Senate of his intention, his action would not probably be used as the ground for impeachment. He claimed that no indictable or impeachable offense was committed by the attempted removal of Stanton, and maintained that no Tenure of Office could be given by legislation for a longer time than for which the officer is appointed, and, applying this doctrine to the case of Stanton, he argued that he was not appointed, but held his office by the sufferance of the President, and, therefore, could not in any case be affected by the case in question.

In reference to the argument that if Stanton is protected by the proviso he is by the body of the section, he said we must speak of the office and not the man. If this office is covered, we are led to the absurdity of admitting that its tenure is perpetual, if successive Senators adhere to the same views; but if the law is susceptible of two constructions, he had the Managers' authority for claiming that it would be abhorrent to a sense of justice to convict the President.

He further argued that there was no attempt to violate the right of Mr. Stanton to hold his office, but merely to withdraw the tenure, which he held at the pleasure of the President; and briefly reviewed the evidence, ridiculing its insufficiency, as instanced in the testimony of Karsner, the solitary witness to prove the attempted *coup d'etat*.

Mr. Evarts then reminded the Senators that they must try each article separately, without any reference to the character or force of the others, and closed with an eloquent speech invoking the calm, considerate and impartial justice which would be worthy of the successors of the great men who first dignified these Senatorial Halls, after which the Senate took a recess.

On reassembling, Mr. Stanbery rose, and after a few brief introductory remarks, in which he referred to the feeble state of his health, but said that he felt impelled by an irresistible impulse to lift his voice in this just cause, and proceeded with his argument. He said:

"Mr. Chief Justice and Senators—It is the habit of the advocate to magnify his case, but this case speaks for itself. For the first time in our political existence, the three great departments of our Government are brought upon the scene together; the House of Representatives as the accuser, the President as the accused; the Judiciary Department, represented by its head in the person of the Chief Justice, and the Senate of the United States as the tribunal to hear the accusation and defense, and to render the final judgment. The Constitution has anticipated that so extreme a remedy as this might be necessary, even in the case of the highest officer of the Government. It was seen that it was a dangerous power to give one department to be used against another, yet it was anticipated that an emergency might arise in which nothing but such a power could be effectual to preserve the republic. Happily for the eighty years of our political existence which have passed, no such emergency has arisen. During that time we have witnessed the fiercest contest of party; again and again the executive and legislative departments have arisen in open and bitter antagonism. A favorite legislative policy has more than once been defeated by absolute and determined resistance by the President, upon some of the gravest and most important issues that we have ever had, or are ever likely to have. The President's policy and the legislative policy here stood in direct antagonism, and during all that time this fearful power was in the hands of the legislative department, and more than once a resort to it has been advised by the extreme party men, as a sure remedy for party purposes. But happily that evil hour has not come upon us. What new and unheard of conduct by a President has at last made a resort to this extreme remedy unavoidable? What Presidential acts have been so flagrant that all just men, of all parties, are ready to say that the time has come? When mischief has been committed, the evil is at work, so enormous and pressing, that in the last year of his term of office, it is not safe to await the action of the people. If there should be found willing instruments to carry out the purposes of its party, then there remains for every one of its members who participate in the great wrong a day of awful retribution which is sure to come, nor long to be delayed; but I will not anticipate, nor speak further of the case itself until its true features are fully developed. He claimed that the allged high crimes and misdemeanors were all founded upon mere form of executive administration, a revolution of rules laid down by the legislative department to regulate the executive departments. He proceeded to show what was the course of action of the Executive before these rules were adopted. The Tenure-of-Office act also introduced new rules; it did not take away the President's power, but fixed the mode, and asked if the President followed the ancient rules if he was impeachable for so doing.

Mr. Stanbery then proceeded to analize the articles of impeachment, showing that four statutes of the United States were alleged to have been violated, three of which provided penalties for their violation, and declared such an offense high misdemeanors and high crimes. The first eight articles on their face state that Stanton has not been removed, and the crimes and misdemeanors charged in respect to putting Stanton out, and Adjutant General Thomas in, were all things attempted and not things accomplished. It is the attempt with unlawful intent that the President is to be held responsible for. So it is a vital question whether the penalties prescribed by the statute have been violated, and to punish not only the commission of the acts, but also abortive attempts to commit them. He then proceeded to argue at some length that Stanton's case did not come within the provision of the tenure-of-office act, the proviso of which makes a distinction never made before, in giving a new and better tenure to the cabinet officers of a President, who were nominated by him, or appointed by him, with the concurrence of the Senate. The theory is that having had one free opportunity of choice, they shall be bound by it, but as to Cabinet officers selected by a former President, who hold merely by his acquiescence or suffrage, they are entitled to no favor, and receive none. The construction given by the Managers leads to the inevitable absurdity that that class entitled to favor are cut off at the end of the month, while those having a less meritorious title remain in indefinitely, and what was intended for a benefit becomes a mischief, and the favored class are worse off than if no favor had been shown them from those entitled to proclaim it, as being taken away, to be given to those not entitled to it.

When President Johnson was invested with the office, he found Stanton holding the office of Secretary of War. He had been appointed by Lincoln during his first term, and was holding the second month of Mr. Lincoln's second term, under the old appointment, and he was neither appointed by Lincoln nor Johnson for that second term, and consequently never had any tenure of office under the Tenure-of-office act, for the Presidential term. That act gives Cabinet officers no right to hold, against the pleasure of the succeeding President, one moment after the expiration of one month, as after that time the right to hold ceases, and then the office becomes vacant. The policy delcared here is unmistakable that notwithstanding anything contrary to the act, every President shall have the privilege of selecting his Cabinet, and after the members of Mr. Johnson's Cabinet are selected by him, his power is exhausted, and they are entitled to hold throughout his term, in defiance of his wishes. What mode is left for the President to avail himself of his independent right when such an officer as Stanton refuses to resign? None other than the process of removal, for he cannot put the man of his choice in until he has put the other out; the independent right of choice cannot, under such condition, be exercised at all without the corresponding right of removal, and the one necessity implies the other.

We have seen that the tenure of office, fixed by the proviso for Cabinet officers, applies to those members of Mr. Johnson's Cabinet appointed by himself. It, therefore, does not apply to Mr. Stanton. If there is another clause which applies to Mr. Stanton, it must be the first general clause, and that does not apply to him. Then his case does not come within the provisions of the act at all, and must be ruled by the pre existing law, which makes him at all times subject to the pleasure of the President and the exercise of his independent power of removal. The Managers claim that this clause gives Stanton a new tenure of office, but if this is so, it follows inevitably that no succeeding President can remove him, and he may defy Mr. Johnson's successor as he now defies him.

At this point Mr. Stanbery rested and the court adjourned.

COMMEMORATION DAY.

The Lady Managers have selected TO-DAY as Commemorative Day of the Confederate dead, and agreed upon the following programme:

PRESIDENT OF THE DAY,
HON. WILLIAM T. AVERY.

The ceremonies will commence precisely at ten o'clock, a.m., as follows:

Music by Memphis Brass Band, Captain Andrew Smith leader.

The bodies of General Preston Smith and Colonel Jeffrey Forrest will be interred.

Funeral Services by Rev. L. C. Ransom.

After which all persons in attendance will repair to the stand, when the following will be the order of ceremonies:

Music by the Band.

Ode sung, prepared by Rev. Dr. Wheat.

Oration by Hon. Landon C. Haynes.

Music by the Band.

Poem prepared by F. Y. Rockett, read by E. M. Yerger, Esq.

Music by the Band.

Closing address by Colonel Moses White.

Music by the Band.

Cars will run from the Memphis and Charleston depot every half hour, commencing at nine o'clock a.m.

The Hernando street cars will run every quarter hour, commencing at 7:45 a.m., with ample capacity to carry all that wish to go.

By order of the managers of Elmwood Cemetery, no vehicles or persons on horseback (funerals excepted) will be admitted inside the enclosure.

MRS. M. C. GALLAWAY, President.
MRS. LUE HOTCHKISS, Secretary.
MRS. DR. GRANT, Manager.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and acquaintances of JOSEPH C. WILSON are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from the residence of his brother, J. J. Wilson, on La Rose street, this Saturday afternoon, at three o'clock.
Carriages at J. C. Holst & Co.'s, 320 Main street.

AUCTION.

At Auction.

WE will sell at auction, at our Rooms, 22 Second street, on SATURDAY, at ten o'clock a.m., a beautiful selection of NATIONAL AND RELIGIOUS PICTURES.
my1 A. M. STODDARD & CO., Auctioneers.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

MEMPHIS
RACING ASSOCIATION

SPRING MEETING, 1868.

Sixth Day—Saturday, May 2, 1868.

FIRST RACE.
A Match for $200—Mile Heats.
J. MERNAN, ch. f. Magazine, four years old, by Australian, dam Wagner. Dress—Blue and white.
DUNCAN & McMAHAN, s. f. Viola, four years old, by Jack Malone, dam Second Wagner.

SECOND RACE.
Association Purse, $500—Three Mile Heats—Free for All.
JOHNSON & PATTERSON, b. h. General Rousseau, seven years old, by Commodore, dam Noter Price, by Costa Johnston. Dress—Purple and purple.
E. WARNICK, b. h. Joe E. Johnston, six years old, by Goodwood, dam Judge, by imp. Sovereign. Dress—Red and blue, white sash.
WM. BRADY, ch. h. Veto, six years old, by Lexington, dam Levity, by imp. Trustee. Dress—Red and blue.

THIRD RACE.
Association Purse, $200—Mile Heats for Beaten Horses that have Run at this Meeting, to be Handicapped by the Association.
E. A. SMITH, g. m. Nelly Gwynne, six years old, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, dam Gray Alice, by Chorister. Dress—White and blue.
J. MERNAN, ch. h. Bill Forrest, five years old, by Hiawatha, dam Prairie Flower, by imp. Sovereign. Dress—Green, orange and red.
WM. BRADY, bk. h. Jack Gamble, Jr., five years old, pedigree unknown. Dress—Red and blue.
COL. BALLENTINE, b. m. Theta, four years old, by Vandal, dam Duchess DeBerri. Dress—Green and white.
☞ Races will commence at half-past two o'clock, as there will be three Races. my2

A RARE CHANCE!

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

I WISH TO SELL THE PATENT RIGHT OF MY
Newly Invented Cotton Compress.

THE machine has been in operation in Memphis the whole of last season, and has proved itself the cheapest and most powerful Compress made. It is admirably adapted for all interior points, where it would not pay to erect the heavy machine, and will cost less than any machine ever put up for the purpose of compressing cotton.
I propose to sell the Right for the whole United States, throwing open a good field for the Presses in the May growing section. Will sell for cash, or trade for improved real estate, either city or country. To an enterprising man this offers the best opportunity for making money ever presented.
For full information upon the subject, address
ENOCH TAYLOR, Patentee,
may2 34 Front street, Memphis.

CONFECTIONERY STORE.

B. ROCCO'S,
Corner of Main and Adams Streets,

ICE CREAM SALOON is now open. Ladies' Saloon, up-stairs, has been refurnished and repainted. The best of ICE CREAM AND STRAWBERRIES, SODA WATER, CAKES, CONFECTIONS, CANDIES, etc., always on hand. my2

SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE
GERMAN MAY FESTIVAL,
On Monday, the 4th instant,
AT THE JAMES PARK,
EXTENSION OF VANCE STREET.

CARS will run during the whole day for the accommodation of visitors.
By order of Committee of Arrangements.
F. W. BUTTINGHAUS, Chairman.
All city papers please copy. my2

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JUST RECEIVED

Real Lace Points

From $100 00 to $500 00.

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BEAUTIFUL FIGURED LINEN LAWNS

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—FOR—
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—AT—
VERY LOW PRICES
ROBESON, SNEED & CO.,
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LARGE AND EXTENSIVE SALE
OF
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

ON the premises south side of Winchester street, between Main and Front,
BY W. H. PASSMORE & CO.
On MONDAY MORNING, 4th of May, 1868, comprising one Steinway Piano, [illegible] finish, is [illegible] Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut; Rich Medallion Carpets, Brussels and Three-ply Carpets; [illegible] richly trimmed [illegible] new; Magnificent [illegible] Mirrors, Window Shades, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture, Oil Cloths, etc. [illegible] at half past nine o'clock. SEE THE RED FLAG. my1

Annual Picnic
OF
ST. PETER'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

UNDER the auspices of the Christian Doctrine Association, [illegible] beautiful grounds [illegible] Church in [illegible] Children's [illegible] String Bands [illegible] Fifty Cents.

OLD WINE & LIQUOR HOUSE
Established by Raphael Semmes in 1819.
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IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
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Import Direct
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WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN SCHOOL, MISCELLANEOUS
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A large and well selected stock of everything in our line kept constantly on hand at Lowest Market Price. Wholesale dealers would do well to examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere. mh6

FORSTER, KEALHOFER & CO.,
GROCERS, COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 209 Main Street, Four Doors North of Adams, Memphis, Tenn.,
General Dealers in Plantation Supplies.
IN ADDITION, ALWAYS HAVE
Choice Michigan Butter, Extra Golden Syrup, Buckwheat Flour,
Shaker Preserves, Canned Fruits, Pickles, Green and Black Teas,
Sugar, Flour, Meal, Lard, Sugar Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon,
Choice Coffees, Irish Potatoes, Hominy. Beans, Pearl Barley.
Have in store a consignment of DRIED PEACHES—finest in the market.
☞ Captain KEALHOFER gives special attention to Cotton and Produce consigned to the house. ja30

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BOUGHT AT THE SALE
—OF A—
BANKRUPT IMPORTER
GREAT BARGAINS
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B. LOWENSTEIN & BROS.

HAVING JUST RECEIVED a large stock, bought at a BANKRUPT IMPORTER'S SALE, We offer
Great Bargains During This Week
IN ALL KINDS
DRESS GOODS
—AND—
TRIMMINGS,
LINENS, DAMASK,
TOWELS,
HANDKERCHIEFS & HOSIERY
ALSO, A LARGE STOCK OF
ELEGANT LACE POINTS
AND AN IMMENSE QUANTITY OF
EMBROIDERIES
WHICH WE OFFER AT
LESS THAN GOLD PRICES!
JUST RECEIVED,
A NEW STYLE PRINTS
WHOLESALE BUYERS
Should give us a call before making purchases, as we have a large stock of
PRINTS,
DOMESTICS,
DRILLS, STRIPES,
COTTONADES and
LINEN DRILLS,
Which we offer as Low as such can be IMPORTED AT FROM NEW YORK.
B. LOWENSTEIN & BROTHERS
Corner Jefferson and Main Streets.
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JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE
100 casks Bacon,
550 barrels Pork,
50 tierces Hams,
400 barrels Flour,
200 boxes Candles,
300 packages Molasses,
20 hogsheads Sugar.
Also, all articles generally kept in our line.
GALBREATH, STEWART & CO.,
Wholesale Grocers,
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For Sale.
$6,000 CASH will buy the Lot, Store and Fixtures; also, a good assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, etc., suitable for the trade. Good business established. Perfectly satisfactory reason for selling. Twenty-five thousand dollars trade annually. For particulars address
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of all Seasonable Fabrics.
ENGLISH HOSIERY,
In Great Variety.
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M. PERDUE,
Modes de Paris, 273 1-2 Main Street,
OPPOSITE COURT SQUARE,
KEEPS an exquisite assortment of
Real Laces, Embroideries,
Corsets, White Goods,
Dress Trimmings, etc.
—ALSO—
French Flowers, Ribbons,
Frosted Crepes and Tulles,
Colored Blondes, Straw Goods,
In endless variety, including the new MANDARIN and EMERALD SUNDOWNS.
The SHOW ROOM is daily replenished with the most
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I HAVE brought from Paris a large and well selected stock of HUMAN HAIR GOODS, the finest ever brought to any market. I ask the Ladies to call and see for themselves the artistic styles and elegance of the human hair.
At 269 1-2 Main Street, Up-stairs, Opp. Court Square
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MEGIBBEN & BROTHER,
WHOLESALE
LIQUOR DEALERS,
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MISS N. ENGLISH,
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230 Main Street, Up-stairs,
KEEPS constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of MILLINERY GOODS, etc., etc. Her stock is selected with care, and prices to compete with any establishment in the South.
FANCY AND MOURNING BONNETS
FIVE DOLLARS EACH.
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THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

SATURDAY, : : : : MAY 2, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

POST OFFICE ARRANGEMENTS.

CLOSING OF MAILS.

For Cairo, Chicago, St. Louis, Nashville, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Albany, New York, Baltimore, and all cities North and West, at 2:30 p.m.

For Chattanooga, Richmond, Washington, Augusta, Columbus, Ga., Montgomery, Mobile, New York, Nashville and all cities South and East, at 12:45 p.m.

For New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Jackson, Vicksburg, Natchez, and all cities South, at 3:15 p.m.

All Stations on Mississippi and Tennessee Southern and New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroads, at 3:15 p.m.

All Stations on the Memphis and Louisville and Branch railroads, at 2:30 p.m.

All Stations on the Memphis and Charleston, Mississippi Central, Mobile and Ohio, Nashville and Decatur, Nashville and Chattanooga and East Tennessee Railroads, at 12:45 p.m.

ROBERT C. GIST, Postmaster.

Officers and conductors of railroads are requested to give no free transportation to any one on the credit of the Avalanche.

M. C. GALLAWAY & CO.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Hereafter the ordinance against fast driving will be rigidly enforced. Look out.

L. A. McGinnis is in jail, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses.

During Commissioner Richerd's absence Commissioner Burditt is holding Police Court.

A grand opening ball will be given at Concordia Garden on the evening of the 6th.

The Board of Alderman meet in regular session Tuesday afternoon.

An old bridge over the bayou on Henry avenue fell in a night or two since.

A double barrel gun, a large quantity of clothing, and some provisions—all valued at $500—were stolen from Mr. P. H. Hunt's residence, one and a half miles out on the Raleigh road, Thursday night.

The "Injuns" will play a match game of "raquette" (whatever that means) at Mound City tomorrow afternoon. The ferryboat Peosta will make regular trips, charging a dollar the round trip, including entrance to the grounds.

During April the First District police made 426 arrests; Second, 198. Of this number 137 were white and 263 colored; State cases, 139. Fines collected—First District, $1,848 90; Second District, $1,023 50. Total amount of stolen property recovered in both Districts, $5,396 75.

At a regular meeting of Memphis Grove No. 2 United Ancient Order of Druids, held Thursday night, the following named gentlemen were duly elected officers for the ensuing quarter: Charles J Hargan, N A; Wm Bath, V A; Lewis Amis, Treasurer; L Lyons, Secretary; Thos O Smith, Chaplain; C Fromberg, T G; A J Peres, Conductor; W M Loeb, R H B of N A; L Marks, L H B of N A; M J Peres, R H B of V A; Isaac Harris, L H B of V A. Representatives for the Grand Grove of the State of Tennessee: Lewis Amis, C J Hargan, L Marks, W M Loeb, A J Peres, L Lyons.

THE ENTERTAINMENT LAST NIGHT.—The performance at the theater last night for the benefit of the Masonic Relief Fund, was a success in every regard. The young ladies and gentlemen, aside from "sticking" in the text, which occasionally occurred, personated the parts assigned them in a manner that would reflect credit on many theatrical companies. A few more rehearsals and greater confidence in themselves would have rendered the effect capital. Mr. Lou. Leubrie's "Aminadab Sleek" was an immense hit. His "make up," stage action and voice were admirable, and every appearance on the stage was the signal for applause. Captain Jack Horne was quite dashing as "Captain Murphy Maguire," and Messrs. Wright and McKeon were good as "Vincent" and "Charles Torrens." Mrs. Steinkuhl's "Mrs. Ormsby Delmaine," was capital, and Misses Worsham, Fussell, Houston and Jenkins were very pleasing. Songs by Misses Jenkins and Fussell drew an encore. Messrs. D. Leubrie and Eugene Lehman gave a recitation—the quarrel scene from "Julius Cæsar." Both gentlemen possess fine dramatic power, and were deservedly applauded. Little Katie Gilbert favored the audience with a dance, which she was compelled to repeat. The audience was large, enthusiastic, and well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

RUSSELL'S DISPENSARY.—The eminent success with which Dr. Russell is meeting, in his treatment of chronic affections of the blood and skin, has rendered his Dispensary the resort of hundreds of those who heretofore have sought relief at other hands. Though thoroughly versed and experienced in every branch of his profession, the Doctor has determined to devote his undivided time and attention to this specialty, in which he can be instrumental in relieving the physical suffering as well as the mental agonies of those tainted with constitutional and contracted poisons. Those who place themselves in the hands of the Doctor may rest assured of a speedy restoration of health of body and mind. His treatment has never failed in a practice of years. Consultation free and strictly private, at the Dispensary, 42 North Court street.

BURIAL OF GENERAL PRESTON SMITH.—The pall bearers will assemble at the speaker's stand in Elmwood Cemetery, at half past nine o'clock a. m. Saturday, with the sash prescribed in a previous publication. The burial to proceed as per previous announcement of joint committee on behalf of the friends of General Smith and Colonel Jeffrey E. Forrest—General Smith's pall bearers to be as follows: General M J Wright, Colonel M Magevney, junior, Colonel J H Edmondson, Col J W Dawson, Major E A Beecher, Captain E A Cole, Dr Emmet Woodward, Dr R W Mitchell, Captain J R Flippin, Captain Frank B Rodgers, Mr Felix Robertson, F Titus, Esq, Hon A Wright, General J R Chalmers, Captain W L Scott and E H Clayton, Esq.

M. W. CLUSKEY, Chairman.

H. K. BEATTY, Secretary. 2t

ICE ON THE MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.—Parties on the line of the Memphis and Charleston railroad can have ice furnished in any quantity by sending orders to the Memphis Ice Company. Ice will go out in bulk every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and can be purchased at the car at stations. The price will be but a slight advance on Memphis prices. Ice regularly supplied on orders. [1w] DAVIDSON & CO.

MAYDAY FESTIVALS.—A large number of young people were out yesterday, picnicing and indulging in festivities generally. Chelsea Division Sons of Temperance had a picnic and dance in Douglass' park, and the city schools enjoyed themselves similarly at Linde's park, on the Hernando road. Besides, there were various other demonstrations of the kind by schools and societies.

TRAINS TO ELMWOOD.—Trains will be run on Saturday from the Memphis and Charleston Railroad depot to the point nearest Elmwood cemetery, carrying passengers to witness the floral tribute to the Confederate dead. Trains will run every half hour, stopping regularly at the heads of Beale and Vance street for passengers. Trains will commence running at nine o'clock. Fare ten cents each way. 2t

PERSONAL.—Among the arrivals at the Commercial yesterday, we notice that Captain R. B. Gee, of the late Confederate States army, a gallant officer who fought through the war, but has laid all his laurels at the feet of beauty, and brings his bride with him. Colonel Campbell, of LaGrange, Tennessee, and Colonel C. B. Loan, of New York, are also at the Commercial.

TAKE NOTICE.—Strauss & Blum have determined to close their auction sales to-night, so this will be your last chance to obtain cheap dry goods, clothing, etc. They sell this morning at eleven o'clock and this evening at seven o'clock.

A. M. STODDARD, Auctioneer.

Balch's photographic view wagon will be at the Cemetery to-day for the purpose of taking views of the ceremonies, and persons wishing photographs of monuments, with or without groups, can be accommodated by applying at the wagon, near the speaker's stand.

Prints "that are prints," 10 cents; nice linen lawns, 35 cents; beautiful lawns, 22½ cents. Great bargains in new styles dress goods at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., No. 231 Main street. tf

FANCY FOWLS.—The largest collection of fancy chickens, ducks, pigeons, birds and dogs ever brought to this city can be found at No. 62½ Jefferson street, between Main and Second, for a few days only. 3t

"The Tourist," "Belvoir," "Pickwick," "Lotta," "Dickens," "Alaska," "Boz," "Onward," "Humboldt," and every style of hats in the market, at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 3t

Go to Francisco & Wiggin, hatters, 309 Main street, to find the latest styles and the finest class of hats in the city, at prices to suit the times. 3t

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

Just received—silk trimmings, buttons, cotton drop and bullion fringe, the latest novelties, at A. Seessel & Son's, No. 259 Main street. tf

Fifty dozen ladies' white cotton hose, slightly damaged by water, from fifteen to twenty-five cents per pair. [1w] RICE & ENGEL.

Lumber, Shingles and Laths can be bought low of B. K. Plain & Co., 364 Second street. 1m

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke. Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street.

Fifty pieces linen lawn at a sacrifice. Were wet, but not damaged [1w] RICE & ENGEL.

THE SPRING MEETING.

A Large Attendance and Two Splendid Races Yesterday.

Chickamauga and a "Bonnie Scotland" Filly Winners.

Three Races—One of Three Mile Heats—To-day.

The skies could not have been more propitious than hovered over the fifth day's sport over the Memphis Association Course. The attendance was larger than on any previous day, and the ladies' stand, as well as the public stand, was crowded. Before another "meeting" the dimensions of the former will have to be enlarged, if it be intended to accommodate the large numbers who are becoming fascinated by the noble amusement. We believe there is some talk of doing something before the fall meeting.

The air was as balmy as May, and if the whole year had been thoroughly ransacked for a most suitable opening day of the flower month, it might not have yielded one more delicious in every respect than yesterday. If Phœbus were driving the chariot of the sun a little too near for comfort, the heat was soon tempered by a gentle breeze that sprang up as though wafted from orange groves and bowers of myrtle, while the thin veil-like clouds slowly glided up and intercepted the full tide radiance that otherwise might have been oppressive.

In the pool selling there was little choice in three entries, Agnes Donovan, Pat Cleburne and Chickamauga, that were to run for the Association purse of $300—two mile heats. Agnes had won a race earlier in the week, and Pat, it is thought, would have won if he had not fallen with his rider, and Chickamauga was remembered since last fall, and looks as much like whalebone as though trimmed from its elasticity. If there were any favoritism it was on the side of the last named, although Agnes especially disputed it.

FIRST RACE.

Punctual to the moment the bell sounded for the saddling up. Then, with sufficient interval for "officers to their posts," the horses were mounted and placed in the following order: Pat Cleburne had the pole, with Agnes second and Chickamauga on the right. Nothing could be more even than the start of left and right, but the bay mare hung behind. The drum tapped, however, and with immense stride Agnes sprang to her place, quickly leading as they rounded the first turn, and showing that she intended to make them run, if they wanted the heat. The judiciousness of this was doubted by some of the friends of the Lexington blood, who would have preferred to see her saving her strength for some desperate brush. They were well closed up on the third quarter, and came down the stretch at a tremendous pace, Agnes passing the string a few inches only in advance of her competitors, but as they rounded on the back stretch Cleburne made a dash and took the lead, pressed hard by Chickamauga, Agnes giving her tail an emphatic switch, and passing to the rear, beyond distance, which she made a desperate effort to recover. Down the stretch the black and chestnut came with vigorous strides, and it was for some time a hard struggle, but as they neared the outcome it was perceptible that Chickamauga had the stride, and won the heat handsomely, Agnes Donovan just outside the distance. The first mile was made in 1:52 and the heat in 3:50¼.

The second heat was beautifully contested for the first mile. After a false start the horses—of which the winner of the first heat was greatly the favorite—were called back and a fair start had, Chickamauga leading the first quarter and Pat apparently willing to give up the contest; but on the entrance to the back stretch he rallied and closed the gap, when Chickamauga let out a few links and was seen in the advance. Again they ran together, and entered the home stretch as if in harness, and passed the first mile under the string as dead even as ever we saw. As they turned, however, the first quarter Chickamauga had the lead, and kept it, hard pressed, to the home stretch, where spur and timber failed to lengthen Pat's strides, and the chestnut came in winner about three lengths.

SUMMARY.

Association Purse, $300. Two mile heats, free for all.

1 E A Smith's ch h Chickamauga, 5 y o, by Jack Malone, dam Alboni by Albion, (110 pounds)... 1 1

2 P Mitchell's blk h Pat Cleburne, 5 y o, by Hiawatha, dam by imp Emu (100 pounds)... 2 2

3 M O Cosillo's b f, Agnes Donovan, 5 y o, by Lexington, dam Little Peggie by Cripple... dis

Time, 3:50¼; 3:55.

SECOND RACE.

The sun was by this time shaded with clouds, or feebly broke through the misty veil. The music played its lively airs, losers were anxious to recover lost ground, and all the life and bustle of a well-thronged race course were perceptible. The signal for saddling was given, the horses saddled, wagers laid and the track cleared. There were three entries of three year olds, of which Wiesenhunt was the favorite, at some odds, the owner of Beauty, or Smith's filly, only being confident of the first heat. When the three horses were uncovered they looked well, and those who had drawn them in pools seemed satisfied with their appearance. Elgin had the track, with Wiesenhunt second, and the Bonnie Scotland filly on the right. As they approached the starting place, Elgin and the filly broke away with their riders, and the former especially seemed determined to keep on her way, refusing to be checked before she had made a full quarter. Called back, they were started with tolerable evenness, ran well together round the turn, Wiesenhunt, who had been behind through the first half, making well up on the third quarter and coming down the stretch in safe contiguity, although not striving for the heat, which was won by the bay filly in 1:51¼, Elgin second, and Wiesenhunt a good third.

The same difficulty presented itself in starting for the second heat that was encountered in the first, the rider of Wiesenhunt being determined not again to be caught so far in the rear. The filly led off, closely pressed by Elgin, but on the second quarter the Sherrod colt brushed and passed Elgin, and made for the front, but the filly behaved handsomely, and preserved her lead. They came home under crowded sail, and closed the race with the second heat, in favor of Smith's filly, in 1:51¾, by two lengths, Wiesenhunt second, Elgin third.

SUMMARY.

1. E. A. Smith b. f., three years old, by Bonnie Scotland; dam Alamode... 1 1

2. Johnson & Patterson s. c. Wiesenhunt, three years old, by Sherrod; dam by John Hunter... 3 2

3. P. Mitchell bk h. Elgin, three years old, by Shelby; dam by imp. Emu... 2 3

Time, 1:51¼; 1:51¾.

TO-DAY'S RACES.

The races to-day—the last of the meeting—promise to be of unusual interest. There being two contests, one of which is a match, the hour of starting has been advanced, and will take place at half past two o'clock precisely. We give below the entries for the several contests, and if the weather is only propitious—of which, at this writing, there appears some doubt—the sport will be superior to any furnished during the week.

FIRST RACE.

A match for $200. Mile heats.

J Mernan, ch. f. Magazine, four years old, by Australian; dam Wagner. Dress—Blue and white.

Duncan & McManan, s. f. Viola, four years old, by Jack Malone; dam Wagner.

SECOND RACE.

Association purse, $500. Three mile heats; free for all.

Johnson & Patterson, b. s. Rous-can, seven years old, by Commodore; dam, Noter Price, by Costa Johnston. Dress—Purple and purple.

E Warwick, b. h. Joe Johnston, six years old, by Goodwood; dam Judge, by imp. Sovereign. Dress—red and blue—white sash.

Wm. Bradley, ch. h. Veto, six years old, by Lexington; dam Levity, by imp. Trustee. Dress—Red and blue.

THIRD RACE.

Association Purse $200—Mile Heats for Beaten Horses that have Run at this Meeting, to be handicapped by the Association.

E. A. Smith, g. m. Nelly Gwynne, six years old, by imp. Bonnie Scotland; dam Gray Alice, by Chorister. Dress white and blue.

J. Mernan, ch. h. Bill Forrest, five years old, by Hiawatha, dam Prairie flower, by imp. sovereign. Dress, green, orange and red.

Wm. Brady b. h. Jack Gamble, junior, five years old. Pedigree unknown. Dress—Red and blue.

Colonel Ballentine, b. m. Theta, four years old, by Vandal, dam Duchess DeBerri. Dress—Green and white.

A STAR AMONG THE METEORS.—Trashy scents are flashed upon the public, only to pass into oblivion with meteor-like swiftness; meanwhile the star perfume of the Western world, PHALON'S "FLOR DE MAYO," has reached the zenith of public favor, and remains there with no rival near the throne. Sold by all druggists.

PAY THE CARRIERS.—The carriers of the DAILY AVALANCHE will call for the regular weekly subscription to day. Subscribers will please have the proper change ready.

Prints "that are prints," 10 cents; ladies' fine white Lisle thread hose, 50 cents; gents' best British half hose, 50 cents. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., Clay building. tf

One thousand hats, from fifty cents to one dollar. RICE & ENGEL,
1w 203 Main street, Webster Block.

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

The largest stock of marseilles and pique in the city, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street.

Our damaged stock of dry goods must be closed out within thirty days. RICE & ENGEL,
1w 203 Main street.

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

Chinese straw and solar pith hats at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 3t

NEGRO RIOTING.

Disgraceful and Serious Disturbance at a Negro Picnic.

"Teaching the (Colored) Young Idea How to Shoot"—with Pistols.

Several Negroes Shot—An Old Cripple Beaten and Shot—Fighting Generally.

The colored population had a picnic at McGee's Station yesterday, about three miles from the city, under the auspices of Henry Kraft and Thurston and Joe Goodman. There were some twenty men and boys, who wore a kind of badge of black ribbon, with three links of yellow thread, who seemed prepared to stand by one another in case of a row. Some of these either organized or were in the several "skrimmages" which occurred. As far as our informant could learn the circumstances, a boy named Richards shot at a man on horseback, and struck the horse in the flank, causing a severe if not fatal wound. Some five or six had been engaged in beating an old cripple named Henry Wilson, upon whom they tenderly used clubs, and he getting away, they fired several shots at him, one or two taking effect. They caught him, and while he was down a young darkey named Jim Thomas shot him near the eye, which it is thought will prove fatal. There were several other rows, one between two women, in which Anna Porter was considerably hurt. Two policemen endeavored to interfere, but the armed negroes were too many for them, and were run off. We understand that some arrests have been made, and the whole affair will undergo investigation.

THE COURTS.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce, Judge.*—The following cases were disposed of by trial by jury before R. J. Morgan, special Judge: Steele vs McBain; verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $500. Brown & Jones vs Moberstadt; judgment in Justice's Court affirmed. Hill, receiver, vs Hitzfield et al; judgment by jury for plaintiff in the sum of $2,306 66. Passmore vs Richardson; jury trial waived—judgment for plaintiff, $560.

The following cases were continued by consent over to the next term of court: Moffatt vs Thatcher; Shaw vs Barbour; Thatcher vs Blair and Jefferson; Duncan et al vs Peres & Co.

To-day being motion day, the motion docket will be taken up and called through.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*George W. Waldran, Judge.* No other business will be transacted during the present term, as the minutes of Court merely remain open for the adjourning order to be entered. Court will then adjourn to court in course—the first Tuesday in May, 1868—that being the day on which the May term commences.

The contempt case of the State vs. Curry, Sheriff, did not come up on hearing on yesterday, as expected, by agreement of counsel, it being continued over for hearing to Thursday next, at ten o'clock a.m.

UNITED STATES COURT.—*A. S. Mitchell, Clerk.*—The following petitions in bankruptcy have been filed since the 28th ultimo: Henry G Coburn, E C Seward, A Seward, J C Atkins, A and N Delap, Samuel P Wirt.

Letter from Germantown.

GERMANTOWN, TENNESSEE,
April 30, 1868.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: A communication appeared in your paper of the 29th instant, signed "J. Dix Mills," in which he is pleased to call the communication of "H.," that lately appeared in the AVALANCHE, a bogus affair. Mr. Mitchell, the Secretary of the meeting alluded to by "H.," says I acted as Secretary of that meeting, and to the best of my recollection and belief, the report made by "H." is what transpired at said meeting. J. Dix Mills is a Minister of the Gospel, of small usefulness in his clerical calling. He was a ranting secessionist, a real regiment-eater, but when the war came on he didn't shoulder a musket and fight for the cause so dear to his heart, but speculated in horses, dry goods, cotton-cards, carriage harness and some sugar, and, in his benevolence and love for the cause, sold a lone widow a pair of cotton cards on the Sabbath day for sixty dollars. He recently contrived a grand scheme by which Kentucky was to feed him. He goes privately to a few gentlemen with his insinuations and deceptions; got them to certificate him for Kentucky. After an absence of six weeks he returns, with about ninety bushels of corn, two boxes of meat, some eggs and fruit, the bulk of which went to his home. Besides this, he sent home some money by express, and informed a party in this vicinity that he made $2,000 by the trip. Not a dollar has been given to the destitute (that we can hear of) for whom he went out to beg.

He charges "H" with a want of politeness to gentlemen. I regret his reverence is not in a position to receive those little attentions due a gentleman.

His fling at a certain judgeship and court we do not understand, as we never attempted to abolish a judge or create a court.

With the Rev. J. Dix Mills I have no further communication. If I have done him injustice, his appeal is to the courts of the country.

WM. H. WALKER.

SCHOLASTIC POPULATION OF SHELBY COUNTY.—The following is the scholastic population of Shelby county, according to the report of Rev. W. H. Pearne, Superintendent of Public Instruction:

City of Memphis—White males, 3,126; females, 3,160; total, 6,286. Colored males, 1,894; females, 2,380; total, 4,274. Grand total for the city, 10,560.

Second Civil District—White males, 101; females, 92; total, 193. Colored males, 204; females, 212; total, 416. Total males and females for the district, 609.

Third Civil District—White males, 65; females, 75; total, 140. Colored males, 119; females, 121; total, 240. Total for the district, 380.

Fifth Civil District (outside the city)—White males, 80; females, 73; total, 153. Colored males, 68; females, 98; total, 166. Total for the district, 319.

Sixth Civil District—White males, 259; females, 226; total, 485. Colored males, 296; females, 235. Total for district, 1,016.

Seventh Civil District—White males, 163; females, 130; total, 293. Colored males, 276; females, 232. Total for district, 801.

Ninth Civil District—White males, 168; females, 169; total, 337. Colored males, 162; females, 157. total, 319. Total for district, 656.

Tenth Civil District—White males, 136; females, 143; total, 279. Colored males, 222; females, 203; total, 425. Total for district, 704.

Eleventh Civil District—White miles, 159; females, 122; total, 281. Colored males, 189; females, 156; total, 345. Total for District, 626.

Thirteenth Civil District—White males, 110; females, 127; total, 237. Colored males, 116; females, 111; total, 227. Total for District, 464.

Fourteenth Civil District (outside of the city)—White males, 163; females, 183; total, 346. Colored males, 124; females, 116; total, 240. Total for District, 586.

Fifteenth Civil District (outside of the city)—White males, 99; females, 94; total, 193. Colored males, 99; females, 71; total, 170. Total for District, 363.

Sixteenth Civil District—White males, 102; females, 110; total, 212. Colored males, 165; females, 146; total 311. Total for the District, 523.

Seventeenth Civil District—White males, 81; females, 80; total, 167. Colored males, 97; females, 86; total, 186. Total for the District, 353.

These make a grand total for the county, so far reported, of whites, male and female, 9602; colored male and female, 8358; together, 17,960.

THE PROPOSED CITY CLOCK.—The important measure of collecting a fund for the purpose of giving us a uniform system of time, by means of a large clock with tongue and bell, to be placed, with the permission of the owners, say in the dome of Odd Fellows' Hall, is now begun. The well known house of Pooley, Barnum & Co., acting on the suggestion of the AVALANCHE, have consented to take the clock in charge and keep it in good, reliable time and running order, until such time as the city authorities may feel inclined to operate it at their own expense, and, under this pledge, we learn that two of our old and reliable citizens will commence early in next week to solicit from the various railroads, manufacturing and banking companies as well as individuals and mercantile houses, and, indeed, have already met with flattering encouragement. We beg all those who can, to assist, for but little is required from each. We take upon ourselves, in the name of the citizens, to thank this generous firm for their liberal offer, and would urge the latter to not permit the opportunity to slip, for we all are most grievously in want of a general system of reliable time, and with this all business appointments and transactions can be fulfilled with so much more punctuality, and with so much time saved. The plan is, as before said, to alter and construct the dome of Odd Fellows' Hall so as to accommodate a large clock and bell, with four dial plates, pointing north, south, east and west, and from this eminent, as well as central and conspicuous position, "the time" can be had at a great distance by a glance, or the sound of the "iron tongue." We wish the gentlemen engaged upon this work the speediest success.

COST! COST!! COST!!!—The large and splendid stock of boots, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Hanlan & Co.'s, No. 279 Main street. 1m

The largest stock and cheapest price clothing, gents' furnishing goods and boots and shoes, can be found at J. H. Loewenstine & Brothers, Clay building.

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

A Card of Explanation.

OLIVE BRANCH, DESOTO COUNTY, MISS.,
May 1, 1868.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: Will you allow me a small space in your paper, by way of personal explanation in a matter of considerable interest to the people of Germantown and vicinity? Some two weeks ago I was induced to sign a paper, in connection with a number of well known gentlemen of the above named place and vicinity, recommending a line of policy in obtaining provisions for the destitute. My signature was obtained upon the respectability of these names; not that I knew anything, personally, of the extent of the destitution of that vicinity. Considerable feeling has since been involved in the matter, and as my information is too limited to be of any importance I take this method of withdrawing, publicly, my name from all connection with it.

W. H. MCCARGO.

Prints "that are prints," 10 cents; large stock of alapacas at 35 cents; mohair dress goods, 25 cents. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., No. 231 Main street. tf

Dr. J. B. Ferguson, of Nashville, will deliver an address at the Municipal Court room, corner Second and Union streets, to-morrow (Sunday) morning at eleven o'clock.

Embroidered yokes, infants' robes, and marseilles suits, at A. Seessel & Son's, No. 259 Main street. tf

Prints "that are prints," 10 cents; nice linen lawns, 35 cents; beautiful grenadines, 35 cents. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., 231 Main street. tf

Miles' shoes, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

"The New Dress Hat" at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 3t

The French Panama hat, light and elegant, at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 3t

Alexandre's kids, new shades, just received at A. Seessel & Son's. tf

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

NUT COAL.—A fresh supply just received and for sale by Brown & Jones, 247 Second street.

Doors, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 364 Second street. 1m

Illusion waist, latest styles, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

Lonsdale cambric, very low, by the piece, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

The *Southern Farmer* for May can be had at all the news dealers' stands.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A cough, a cold or a sore throat requires immediate attention and should be checked. If allowed to continue, irritation of the lungs, a permanent throat disease or consumption is often the result. Brown's Bronchial Troches, having a direct influence to the parts, give immediate relief. For bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, consumptive and throat diseases, Troches are used with always good success. Singers and public speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Obtain only "Brown's Bronchial Troches," and do not take any of the worthless imitations that may be offered. Sold everywhere. sodtm

DR. JAMES.—His appointed time in Memphis having terminated, he will in future be addressed at his home office, Nos. 91 and 93 Randolph street, Chicago, Illinois. Read his card in another column. ap19

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, May 2.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Belle St. Louis	ST. LOUIS	5 p.m
Julia	VICKSBURG	5 p.m
Minneola	CINCINNATI	5 p.m
Liberty No 2	WHITE RIVER	5 p.m

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Weather warm and sultry. The river here declined a half inch in the past twenty-four hours up to six p.m. At Cairo the river continues to decline steadily. The Ohio is falling from its source to its mouth, with seven and a half feet in the canal and five and a half feet on the falls. At St. Louis the river is rising slowly. The Cumberland was still rising at Nashville Thursday evening, with twenty-six feet water on Harpeth Shoals. White river is bank full and reported rising at Jacksonport. The Arkansas is booming, and rising rapidly from Fort Smith all the way down.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Pauline Carroll, St. Louis.
" Belle St. Louis, St. Louis.
" Rubicon, Vicksburg.
" P W Strader, New Orleans.
" Olive Branch, New Orleans.
" Liberty No 2, White river.
" Swallow, New Orleans.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Pauline Carroll, New Orleans.
" Rubicon, St. Louis
" P W Strader, Louisville.
" Olive Branch, St. Louis.
" Natoma, Friar's Point.
" Des Arc, Napoleon.
" Swallow, Cincinnati.

BOATS IN PORT.

Liberty No 2, Minneola, Belle St. Louis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Business on the wharf continues dull, with freights scarce for all points.

The local departures include the Natoma, for Friar's Point, and the Des Arc for Napoleon.

The Pauline Carroll passed down yesterday, for New Orleans, heavily laden.

The Rubicon passed up at noon, for St. Louis, with a good trip; and the Olive Branch passed up at five p.m., with 700 tons freight.

The Strader passed up, for Louisville, at four p.m.

The Darling will arrive to-morrow morning from Cincinnati, and leave on Wednesday with a return trip.

The Indiana is due to-day, from Louisville, bound for New Orleans.

The Saline river, one of the tributaries of White river, has been on the rampage for some days, and has flooded the country to such an extent as to cause a suspension of railroading between Duvall's Bluff and Little Rock for a day or two. It is expected the railroad will be all right again by the time the Liberty reaches Duvall's Bluff.

Captain J. K. Moody goes out in charge of the office of the Belle St. Louis this trip, Ad. Storm remaining ashore with his family.

Flags of steamers in port were displayed at half mast yesterday, in respect to the late Captain Dan. Musselman, of the Belle Memphis. His remains will be taken to St. Louis to-day on the Belle St. Louis, for final interment.

The Cora S. is due from Cincinnati, en route to the Arkansas river.

The Lizzie Gill is due from St. Louis, en route to New Orleans.

The Swallow passed up last night for Cincinnati.

The Magenta is due from New Orleans, en route to St. Louis.

The John Kilgour is due this morning, en route for New Orleans.

The R. E. Lee is due to-morrow, bound for Louisville.

The Great Republic and the Dexter leave New Orleans to-day, and the Richmond on Monday.

The magnificent United States mail passenger steamer Liberty No. 2, in command of Captain James Rice, leaves to-day at five p.m. for all points on White river through to Jacksonport, connecting with the Fairy Queen for Batesville, and at Duvall's Bluff with the Little Rock railroad. Those wishing a safe, speedy and pleasant trip to Little Rock, the Hot Springs and points on the Arkansas will do well to take passage on the Liberty. She has superb passenger accommodations, while her fare will vie with the best hotels in the Union. She is in every respect a safe and comfortable carrier, and is in charge of careful and experienced officers. Messrs. Milt Harry and Charley Sharpe—two amiable and courteous gentlemen—have charge of the office.

The superb passenger steamer Julia, in command of Captain James Luker, leaves this evening at five p.m. for Vicksburg and all intermediate landings. She is the regular Saturday United States mail packet. Captain Lee Finney, an affable gentleman and accommodating clerk, presides at the desk.

The Little Rock *Gazette*, of the 29th ultimo, reports the Arkansas rising rapidly, with all the small streams swollen and flooding the country adjacent to the river.

The Minneola, Captain Miller, leaves to-day at five p.m. for Cincinnati. Bill Grubbs does the honors of the office.

The Phantom has been sold at Evansville, to a Paducah company, for the Cairo and Paducah trade.

Mr. Detro, the carpenter of the Wild Waggoner, was severely crushed in the wheel of the Waggoner, at New Orleans, on Wednesday.

The elegant passenger steamer Belle St. Louis, Captain Zeigler, leaves to-day at five p.m. for Cairo and St. Louis.

There appears to be considerable apprehension felt at St. Louis among the steamboatmen interested in Montana boats on account of low water in the upper Missouri, as it is reported that there is very little snow in the mountains.

Mr. James B. Sharpe, of Little Rock, is in the city. He returns home to-day on the Liberty No. 2.

The Centralia is the Monday packet for Arkansas river.

Dick "Appeal" attended the races yesterday, and dropped a few of Uncle Samuel's williams on the snake games; he saw the elephant, which swallowed his loose change.

The Indiana will leave at five p.m. this evening for New Orleans. Captain Reube Neal commands, with Mr. Charles Miller in the office.

The Cincinnati *Commercial*, of Thursday, says: "Business continues very dull along the levee, freight being comparatively scarce for all points, at very low figures. The New Orleans season is about over. The Alice Dean, announced to leave for that port yesterday, was compelled to lay over, owing to the scarcity of freight. Colonel J. N. Silverthorn, of the Evansville *Journal*, is among the Richmond's passengers for New Orleans this trip. A convention of merchants, capitalists, steamboatmen and manufacturers, representing the cities and towns from Pittsburg to Cairo, will meet in this city early next month, to take such measures as may be deemed best on the subject of bridging the Ohio river, and to protest against building any such bridges with less than 500 feet span."

The St. Louis *Democrat* of Thursday says: "The river has been swelling slowly since Tuesday evening. The upper Mississippi and Illinois continue in very fine boating condition, with no danger of low water for a good while. The weather is warm, and the sky bright and clear again. Business on the river is very encouraging. Captain S. C. Hemenway, a well known Southern boatman, has accomplished full and satisfactory arrangements, as agent of the Memphis and White river packet line, for the shipment of general freights to all points on White river and its tributaries, Black, Red, etc., and likewise to all points on the Arkansas above Little Rock. He will be found on 'Change daily, and at his office on the Memphis wharfboat. Since the first of the month through bills of lading, via New Orleans, have been issued here for 20,000 bushels of wheat for Liverpool; over 65,000 bushels of wheat, nearly 90,000 bushels corn, 6,000 bushels oats and 900 barrels flour for New York; 2,000 barrels flour and 20,000 bushels corn for Boston."

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, May 2, 1868.

The financial market continues quiet and steady with no change worthy of report. The discount market rules firm, with the rates of interest unchanged. Exchange is quiet, buying on all points at par to ⅛c off, and selling at ⅜c premium.

GOLD—In New York opened at 139⅜, and closed at 139⅛. The market here ruled quiet, buying at 138@138¼, and selling over the counter at 139½@140.

SILVER—Buying at 128@129 and selling at 130@131.

CITY SCRIP—The market yesterday was firm, with prices stiff and tending upwards. The issuing of the new bonds appreciated scrip and during the day there was an active demand from tax payers and speculators. Dealers were offering 66½@67c, and holding at 68@70. Messrs. Murphy & Cash sold one lot of $5,000 in the morning at 68c.

COUNTY WARRANTS—Dull and nominal, buying at 56@58c, and selling at 60c.

POLICE SCRIP—Steady, buying at 83@84, and selling at 86@87.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SATURDAY, May 2, 1868.

We have to report another dull day in commercial circles, with a small local and shipping trade doing in provisions and breadstuffs. The markets are well supplied, with prices steady and unchanged. The Liberty No. 2, from White river, brought in a large list of orders for plantation supplies, which will be filled to-day.

Cotton.

The market yesterday was firm, with holders asking prices within a half cent. of the New York market, and showed very little disposition to sell. There were few inquiries, and little offering, with no transactions worthy of note. The market closed firm, with holders asking New York prices. The New York market at noon was firm, with holders asking an advance, while buyers operated with caution, and closed dull, with sales of 600 bales. Middling, 33c; good and Orleans 34c. The Liverpool market closed quiet. Sales for the day 10,000 bales; uplands, 12½d; Orleans, 12⅝d; afloat, 12⅜d. Sales for the week 86,000; exporters, 25,000; to speculators 11,000. Stock on hand 526,000, of which 341,000 is American. Shipments from Bombay, for the week ending April 17th, 30,400 bales. Total amount afloat 325,000, of which 90,000 is American.

The Future of Cotton Growing.

Commissioner Capron argues, in his last agricultural report, that the South will recover its ascendency as the cotton producing section of the world. Though Europe, by stimulating the production of the staple in Egypt, Brazil, China and India, threatened for a time the cotton interest of the South, the danger is now past. "The view," he says, "that cotton planting in the United States must, for a time, be abandoned, was too hastily adopted, with little consideration of the facts in the case." He then produces the following, among other statistics to show how the tables have been turned upon India in a single year, and how Great Britain has increased her American purchases, while those of India, China, Turkey, Mexico, and other countries, have been diminished with a diminution of the total importation:

Cotton, raw, from		1866	1867
United States	cwts.	4,644,270	4,715,733
Bahamas and Bermuda	"	7,515	10,623
Mexico	"	2,142	32
Brazil	"	611,808	622,761
Turkey	"	92,996	57,024
Egypt	"	1,055,900	1,127,511
British India	"	5,942,770	4,449,259
China	"	52,120	4,707
Other Countries	"	835,249	278,981
Total		12,295,803	11,272,651

When reconstruction has been effected, and peace and tranquility restored in the Southern States, so that capital will flow thither, they will quickly show their ability to control the cotton market of the world, as they have in the past.

Cotton Statement.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
MEMPHIS, May 1, 1868.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		1,080
Received since yesterday	188	
Received previously	249,633	249,821
		250,901
Exported to-day	29	
Exported previously	250,041	250,070
Stock on hand and at presses		831

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 1.

Cotton steady; sales, 1,800 bales; uplands, 33c. Rice dull. Coffee firm. Sugar firm; Cuba, 10⅝c. Molasses quiet and firm. Flour steady. Wheat quiet, $2 43@2 45.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 1.

Dry goods languid. Cotton bags, 47@67½c. Southern yards, 39@40c. Dayton improved warps, 45c. Heavy brown shirtings 18¾@19c. Standard prints 14@15c.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 1.

Money easy; call loans 6@7c. Sterling firm and quiet, 10@10½c. Gold 39½@39⅝. New Tennessee bonds 66c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, May 1.

Cotton dull; middlings 31½c; sales, 700 bales; receipts, 384; exports, 1,526; week's sales, 8,940; receipts, 4,765; exports, foreign, 8,912; coastwise, 83; stock, 50,533. Sterling, 39¾@40c. New York sight, ½c premium. Gold, 39¾@40. Sugar and molasses quiet and unchanged. Superfine flour, $9 25; choice $13 00@13 25. Corn tending upwards, $1 03@1 10. Oats firm, 75c. Hay, $18 00@21 00. Pork advanced $29 75@30 00. Bacon, firm. Shoulders, 14¼c. Clear ribbed sides, 18c. Clear sides, 19c. Lard, firm; holders asking 20c for tierces and 21c for keg.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, May 1.

Tobacco: sales, 104 hogsheads; common lugs, $5 25 to $15 75; fair leaf, $17 50. Superfine flour, $8 75. Wheat, $2 25@2 00. Corn, shelled and ear, 88@90c. Oats, 80c. Barley, malt, $2 75@2 90. Lard, 19c. Mess pork, $28 75@29 00. Bacon firm; shoulders, 14¼c; clear ribbed sides, 17⅞c; clear sides, 18½c. Bulk shoulders, 13½c; sides 17¼c. Cotton nominal, 30c. Whisky dull.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, May 1.

Flour dull, family $11 00@11 25. Corn dull, 93@94c. Oats, 78@79c. Hay, $12 00@14 00. Tobacco, full rates. Pork is held at $28 75. Bulk shoulders, 13c; sides, 15c. Bacon, shoulders, 14c; clear ribbed sides, 17¼c; clear sides, 18c; sugar cured hams, 19½@21c. Lard held at 19c. Butter, 38@43c. Eggs, 20c.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, May 1.

Tobacco firm and unchanged. Flour and wheat unchanged. Corn 3@5c higher. Oats, 74@76c. Bacon, sides, 18@18½c. Lard, 19¾@20c. Whisky, $2 25.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, May 1—P.M.

Consols, 93¾@94. Bonds, 70¾.

FRANKFORT, May 1.

Bonds, 75½@75¾.

LIVERPOOL, May 1—P.M.

Cotton quiet; sales, 15,000 bales; uplands, 12¼@12⅜; Orleans, 12⅝. Manchester advices unfavorable. Breadstuffs dull. Weather favorable for crops.

STEAMBOATS

FOR CINCINNATI.

Dean Line.
Memphis and Cincinnati Packet.
For Cairo, Louisville and Cincinnati.
Minneola.....Miller, master
This elegant steamer will leave for the above on SATURDAY, May 2, at 5 p.m.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents,
my2 5 Jefferson street.

Dean Line.
Regular Memphis and Cincinnati Packet.
For Cairo, Louisville, Evansville and Cincinnati.
Minneola.....Miller, master
This splendid steamer will leave for the above SATURDAY, May 2, at 5 p.m.
JAMES T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
my2 12 Jefferson street.

FOR VICKSBURG

U. S. Mail Line.
Regular Memphis and Vicksburg Packet.
For Helena, Napoleon and Vicksburg.
Julia.....Jas. F. Luker, master
This elegant passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, May 2, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner of Main and Madison streets,
my1 Or at the City Wharfboat foot of Monroe.

FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
Belle St. Louis.....Zeigler, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, May 2, at 5 p.m.
my1 FLEM. CALVERT, Superintendent.

FOR FORT SMITH.

U. S. Mail Line.
Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Packet.
For Pine Bluff, Little Rock and Fort Smith, Direct.
Centralia.....Nowland, master
This new and splendid passenger steamer leaves MONDAY, May 4, at 5 p.m.
JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents
my1 12 Jefferson street.

FOR WHITE RIVER.

U. S. Mail.
Regular Memphis and White River Saturday Packet.
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta, Des Arc and Jacksonport.
Liberty No. 2.....James Rice, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, May 2, at 5 p.m.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents,
5 Jefferson street.
Captain SAM SHOCK and JAMES SAYERS, passenger agents
Office Overton Hotel. apr30

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This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, May 2, at 5 p.m.
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Corner Main and Madison streets,
apr20 Or at City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

FOR ST. FRANCIS RIVER.

Regular Tuesday St. Francis River Packet
FOR Helena, Marianna, Madison and Wittsburg and all way landings, MOLLIE HAMBLETON, T. R. BOWMAN, Master; SAM. C. PAPE, SHELL and CLARK, Clerks, will leave Memphis EVERY TUESDAY, at 5 o'clock, p. m. LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
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ja21 And City warf-boat, foot of Monroe street.

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JOHN B. DAVIS, Superintendent,
LEVY & MILLER,
General Freight and Ticket Agents,
april 5 Jefferson street.

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UNITED STATES MAIL

PACKET LINE

For Napoleon, Pine Bluff, Little Rock, Van Buren, Fort Smith and Fort Gibson.

THE above line has been fully organized, and comprises the following first class boats, viz:

CELESTE.....Pritchard, master
CENTRALIA.....Nowland, master
OZARK.....Hambleton, master
GLEANER.....Blaisdell, master

One of the above named boats will leave Memphis EACH MONDAY AND THURSDAY during the season for Little Rock, and there make close connections with the following boats, (belonging to the Company):

For Dardanelle, Van Buren, Fort Smith and Fort Gibson, viz:

VAN BUREN.....Smith, master
AMERICAN.....Nowland, master
FORT SMITH.....Rowland, master

The latter boats were built expressly for the trade, and are now running to Dardanelle; and as soon as the water will permit, will extend their trips to Fort Smith and Fort Gibson.

Shippers and the traveling public may rely upon the above schedule; and should any case of business require it, an other boat will be added, making three boats from Memphis each week. Feeling assured that increased facilities will bring an increase of business, the proprietors of this line are determined to do their part.

JOHN D. ADAMS, Superintendent,
JAMES T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
No. 12 Jefferson street,
THOMAS R. KIRNAN,
General Passenger Agent.
MART. WALT & CO., Agents,
feb25 No. 271 Front street

E. H. FLYNN, RETAIL GROCER,

No. 50 Beale Street.

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Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee. } ss.

THIS is to give notice, that on the 29th day of April, A. D., 1868, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

LAFAYETTE VEAL,

Of the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at office No. 450 Main street, in Waldran Block Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 26th day of May, A.D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger.
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. my1

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee. } ss.

THIS is to give notice, that on the 30th day of April, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

JAMES A. HUDSON,

of ——, in the county of Haywood and State of Tennessee who have been adjudged bankrupts on their own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupts, to them, or for their use, and the transfer of any property by them, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupts, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of their estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 2d day of June, A. D., 1868, at ten o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tenn., 30th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. my1

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee. } ss.

THIS is to give notice, that on the 29th day of April, A. D., 1868, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

H. K. FARMER,

of ——, in the county of Haywood and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 26th day of May, A. D. 1868, at ten o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A. D., 1868.

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By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
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Cash Assets January 1, 1868,
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Fire Branch, - - - - $163,123 00
Marine Branch, - - - - $156,331 00

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apr25 JOS. SPECHT.

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Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 30th day of April, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

T. J. & J. H. PEARSON, partners as aforesaid,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. my1

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1868, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

JOHN B. WELD,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at office No. 450 Main street, in Waldran Block, Memphis Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 25th day of May, A. D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A.D. 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. my1

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

JAMES FLAHERTY,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A. D. 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
BY J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. my1

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee. } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 29th day of April, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

DAVID MARKS,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own petition that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on 26th day of May, A. D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A.D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENEY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. my1

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

E. W. LONG,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at office No. 450 Main street, Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 30th day of May, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 30th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
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Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by Thomas Dennison, on the 17th day of November, 1866, which deed is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 58, part 2, pages 92, etc., to secure to Sarah Ann Perry the prompt payment of certain notes therein specified, and whereas the first of said notes is due and unpaid; now, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested by said deed of trust, I will,

On Saturday, the 23d day of May, 1868,

Between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m., in front of the Postoffice, on the corner of Jefferson and Third streets, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said deed conveyed and described thus: Being in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, and near said city, beginning at the intersection of the east side of Marley avenue, with the north side of Brinkley street, as laid down on R. W. Sucker's map of said city; thence south with Marley avenue 150 feet; thence at right angles with Marley avenue westwardly 150 feet; thence northwardly, parallel with Marley avenue, 150 feet, to Brinkley street; thence west with Brinkley street 150 feet, to the beginning.

Terms cash. Title believed to be good, but I convey only as trustee. The equity of redemption waived.

apr29 GEORGE H. MONSARRAT, Trustee.

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3	9 00	12 00	14 00	16 00	14	48 00	52 00	56 00	60 00
4	12 00	14 00	16 00	19 00	15	52 00	56 00	60 00	64 00
5	15 00	18 00	22 00	24 00	16	56 00	60 00	64 00	68 00
6	18 00	21 00	24 00	28 00	17	60 00	64 00	68 00	72 00
7	21 00	24 00	28 00	32 00	18	64 00	68 00	72 00	76 00
8	24 00	28 00	32 00	36 00	19	68 00	72 00	76 00	78 00
9	28 00	30 00	36 00	40 00	20	72 00	76 00	80 00	85 00
10	32 00	36 00	40 00	40 00	21	76 00	80 00	85 00	90 00
11	36 00	40 00	40 00	44 00	22	80 00	85 00	90 00	95 00

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LIST OF LETTERS

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If not called for within one month, they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

Place the postage stamp on the upper right hand corner, and leave space between the stamp and direction for post-marking without interfering with the writing.

N. B.—A request for the return of a letter to the writer, if unclaimed within thirty days or less, written or printed, with the writer's name, postoffice and State across the left hand end of the envelope on the face side, will be returned free of charge.

Letters addressed to street and number will be delivered free by carriers.

☞ Office hours from eight a.m. to half past five p.m. Sundays, from nine to ten o'clock a.m.

ROBERT C. GIST, Postmaster.

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A

Allison mrs J D
Allen miss M E
Allen mrs M

B

Burke mrs M E
Brown miss S
Bowen miss A M
Blake mrs S
Bell mrs M E
Bempner miss M
Brooks miss M J (col)
Burnley mrs M
Bradley miss M
Bowers A T
Belford miss M E
Bvoze mrs N (col)
Banning mrs L C
Brown miss F
Bowden mrs J A
Blackburn mrs D
Berry miss L
Bonham mrs J
Barbear miss R

C

Conrad mrs O J
Cowden S
Cook mrs C
Clarkson mrs H
Clark mrs E A
Casey mrs J
Connell mrs M
Coleman miss J
Clepurra M
Clark miss M A S
Chilcress mrs A M
Campbell mrs A
Crow mrs B
Cox mrs M
Clark M
Clifton miss E
Chambers mrs A M
Clark mrs W D

D

Dougherty mrs M
Deen mrs R M
Deaton miss A
Drake mrs F
Dawson mrs M
Doolan miss
Driscall mrs C
Doogan mrs S
Dawson mrs E M
Dofgus miss E S
Dyer miss A
Drarth mrs E E
Davis miss M

E

Elder mrs L
Edwards mrs S
Englebreath mrs A
Egnen mrs R E
Eubanks mrs M

F

Fitzgerald miss M
Flynn E E
Fussie miss S
Florrence mrs F
Foster mrs M
Fraser miss F
Fifer mrs L A
Forrest mrs B D
Franson miss A (col)

G

Gruldrod mrs E
Graham mrs B
Gray miss E M
Garrett mrs S F M
Glover miss I
Grigsby mrs V (col)
Greenlaw mrs O
Galvan miss K

H

Hilton mrs M J
Hepler mrs C
Hawthorn miss S
Hogg miss M
Hell mrs M
Henson miss (col)
Holder mrs G M
Harper miss I
Hudying miss S (col)

J

Jordon miss M
Jackson miss E
Johnson miss M M
Jackson mrs M C
Jackson miss B F
Jenkins miss M T
Jones mrs J

K

Kelley miss M E
Kerr mrs J
Kinney mrs J W

L

Lowrie mrs M C
Lemms F
LeGrand mrs S
Lawrence mrs M J
Logan mrs M C
Lewaster mrs M A
Lewis mrs M F
Lawantree mrs M E
Love S
Lewis mrs S O
Lee mrs H C

Mc

McDermitt miss C
McCord mrs M E
McCasett miss S E
McGregor S (col)
McMahon miss D
McIntosh miss C or M A
McComb miss J
McCar mrs L
McKee miss N

M

Murphy miss C
Moses mrs P J
Moore miss
Marshall mrs G
Masher miss S L
Maloney mrs M
Mosby mrs E
Mfris mrs S C
Mathews mrs A
Manley miss J
Morgan mrs M M
Mahon mrs E
Mener mrs J
Maginley miss K

N

Norris mrs J M
Nagle mrs C
Nagle mrs M
Nelson miss M

O

O'Donnell mrs M
Owen mrs M
Otis mrs S

P

Prichard mrs M
Peryoll mrs M
Paul miss M
Parker mrs S (col)
Pugh miss O C
Padgett mrs M T
Parks miss R
Powell mrs J
Payne mrs S C
Prichard S (col)

R

Reach miss C L
Riley miss M
Ross miss A
Radford mrs W L
Rose miss M E

S

Sullivan mrs M
Starr mrs M
Sims mrs M
Slater mrs M A
Saralie mrs W
Smith miss
Sullivan mrs S
Steele mrs E
Simmons miss L
Sweeney miss C
Samprecht mrs C
Shaw mrs M
Sullivan mrs M
Souffrain miss R
Sydnor mrs F
Swinney miss B
Smith miss S

T

Turnbull mrs F G
Townsend miss Y
Trainor mrs E S
Thompson miss C
Tracy miss M
Tepuple miss N

W

Wright mrs A
White miss T
Ward mrs L M
Walns mrs J
Wool mrs E S
Woodson miss S J
Wever miss A A
Wayes mrs N A
Watson miss C
Wilson M (col)
Wittick mrs P
Wallbom mrs I M
Walter miss M
Watson mrs N A
Williams miss E

Y

Yell mrs K
Yates mrs M
Young miss B

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

A

Allen A D
Aldridge C L
Alexander J
Armstrong A J
Adams Capt J M S
Armstrong M T 2
Anderson B P 2
Austin J D
Anderson W R

B

Brew, Metton & Jones
Barnard, A A
Baleson B (col)
Bonum C S
Burke Capt E C
Borough F G
Bridges G R
Bardol J E
Banks J
Bark J
Brownbart M
Burgen P
Boice S
Brown W
Barlow W
Butler W
Baldwin, Black & Co
Barnes, A A
Bolton C (col)
Brady C F
Beach E
Bugg G
Bassett G T
Beck J W
Blackburn J E
Blackburn Dr L P
Brown N (col)
Bolton R
Biggs T P
Brown W M
Brooks W T
Busket & Hanna
Blackburn, Maj B F
Baldwin C H
Begley E
Bowen E C
Brown G
Burnett H
Bandy J F
Books J
Brandon Capt L W
Barnett P
Buntyn S (col)
Bacon W S
Bruce W P
Bowles W

C

Collins A
Choota C
Cassady C J
Crockett G H
Cannon H E
Cowen J
Cook J B
Cox O
Chitwood R
Carroway T
Cole T A
Carruth A C
Cooley C M
Calhoun D
Cousins G
Curtis H
Connor J
Case L
Connelly P 2
Collier S G
Clark T (col)
Clements W H jr
Cook B
Clay C C
Caston (col)
Cary H 2
Campbell J
Clark J
Chandler N G
Croft R K
Clarke Dr S L M 2
Case T

D

Downing W G & Co
Dinnes F
Danford J H
Deerick M
Davidson T
Dutton B Z
Davis G (col)
Dwight J E
Doyle O
Davis D P
Dean J R
Donohue J 2
Doyle R

E

Elder A
Evans G O
Edmondson M (col)
Edmondson W C
Ennis W
Ellis R R
Eddy O R
Edwards Dr R G
Ellis V R
Carmet F M
Ellis J F
Elder R W
Estep W S 2

F

Finch A
Flartey G
Flinn J M
Fanning T
Fontress F (col)
Fhuver J W
Fox R
Foster W S
Fledelly G
Fisher J F 2
Foste T S

G

Gant B S & Co
Graves C W
Gates G W
Graham Capt J H
Gray J L
Gallaway L T
Graves R C
Goodner S
Grady A
Goodwin E W
Goodman H
Gray J F
Grant J
Grant L S
Gee R B
Goll Capt W A
Greed V S & Co
Galer F
Griffith H M
Griffin J C
Grant J W
Good R
Gibson R
Griffith W M

H

Heminway A (col)
Harrison A (col)
Halted & Mallory
Hall E G
Holms G
Hill J
Hauley J H
Hovey J R
Hillard T R
Howard O S
Hodges Dr S
Hutchinson W
Hamill J & Co
Hoggatt A
Hudson Bros
Hubbell G
Hensley H
Halsted J F
Hollister J
Hodges J
Harris Dr J T
Harris R (col)
Hawkins S
Harmon W
Hawkins & Jones
Haynes A B
Healey A J
Hoit G L
Hanson H
Houtran J
Hewes J
Howarth J
Hunt M
Hamilton R H C
Henry Capt W C

I

Iredell G G 2

J

James Mr
James G
Johnston J V 2
Johnson L
Jackson W
Jackson J A & Co
Johnson H W
Jones J C
Jewett P
Jackson D Capt 2
Jones H (col)
Johnson R W
Joplin W A

K

Knight A
Kilce H
Kinnaus T
Kell C O S
Kimbel J
Karns W
Kane G A
Kenady O

L

Lanier, Shaw & Co
Lynn E B
Linue J (col)
Langsdale O W 2
Long S J
Little W
Lauphier Dr W
Lemmon A W
Lucas G
Loomis J P 2
Lyon F S
Lewis S A
Leonard W (col)
Lannon W
Long B
Lemmon H T
Lunn L F
Lambert S (col)
Ledenham T
Lewis W (col)

M

Manning & Co
Medlar & Greenlaw
Mathies B
Morison F
Moore H
Mason H
Medlin J A
Moon J
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Mitchell & McCallie
Moulder A
Moore C K
Miller G W
Mendum H
Moses W
Myler J
Manels J E
Moore Capt T C
Moon W
Moore V V
Minor A C
Menown A & Co
Morgan D
Montgomery H
May Capt H
Morrison J H
Mickle J
Moore P
Mulcahy T
Martin V R 2

Mac

McLennan J
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
McIntyre J
McCleland M
McMahon P
McCally W
McBroom J W
McVey O
McCallum N M
[illegible]

N

Newton, Ford & Co
Nelson O W
Noel J
Norris W S 2
Nelson A J
Nelson A
Newton R
Nichol A
Nicholson J W
Newport R D

O

Owen J H
O'Mally G
Olston W (col)

P

Pittman W H & Co
Parker Mr
Pickens [illegible]
Palmer Col J S
Patten L R
Pollard R N
Price S
Petty A W
Pugh B [illegible]
Pagett C M
Painell J W
Pearl P (col)
Priest S B
Patton T N
Pell A
Pidgeon C
Parker H
Powell Dr J A
Polk R
Pates S J

Q

Quigly M J

R

Richmond A
Riely B
Reeves C A
Robertson D W (col)
Robinson Rev G N 2
Rice J 2
Reynolds J C
Richmond R
Robertson L M
Robinson W R
Richardson A
Rickon C
Robertson C
Rose D F
Rovers H
Ryan J
Ray O (col)
Ross R
Richardson W G
Rutledge W W
Robinson C C & Bro
Rose Captain C A
Roche D E
[illegible]
Rawlings Dr J
Rayder J J
Robinson R
Riley M J 2
Ray W M
Reeves W G

S

Scott A
Staley C
Spearman G C
Sherpard J
Swift J
Story M L
Skipwith P 2
Smith W H
Smith Maj G W
Slow A (col)
Skipwith G S
Shridge R S
Starner J P
Shannon J N
Snead (col)
Stanton R
Smith T B
Smith A I
Simmons B C
Stephens G W
Snowden H P
Snow J
Stacy Prof J W
Symonds M C
Stowe W H
Smith Hon J W

T

Taylor E
Taylor J R
Temple J
Trafe F
Thomas S (col)
Tucker Dr W D
Turner G
Taylor J
Tigram J B
Turrin P
Thompson W H
Thomas G (col)
Taylor J N
Tyler Rev P 2
Thompson S A
Taylor W

V

Vandyke W
Van Hoose Rev
Vice J
Voice T (col)
Veal L

W

William, Spear & Co
Woolridge O
Wright Capt G
Woodward J
Weyer J
White J J
Woodruff M (col)
Wright S
Wair Capt W W
Williamson A
Woodard & Whitset
Watkins F G
Warren G E (col)
Woodward J F 2
Willson I
Wells J
Whily R
Wood T M
Wesson W F
White C
Walker F
Ward H J
White J J
Whitson J G
Walker M
Wells S L
Woodward W W
Williams A 2

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Saturnini A
Canco M
Fassi O
Mickeletti L
Quargnenti G
Ungonetti R
Brignole A
Onni P
Giradean T J
Musetti D
Romo G
Faconi G L
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Coda P
Paoli M 2
Per and A
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LEGAL.

Attachment Suit.

W. P. Wright and Alva E. Wilcox vs. John Hilliard.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the 25th day of May, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr3 JAMES HALL, J.P.

Attachment Notice.

W. P. Wright vs. John Hilliard.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis on the 25th day of May, 1868 at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action, or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.

apr28 JAMES HALL, J.P.

Administratrix's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of David Jameson, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at its April term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me; and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

LUCY A JAMESON,
apr28 Administratrix of David Jameson, deceased.

Trustee's Sale.

Valuable Mississippi River Plantation for Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me as trustee on the 18th day of December, 1865, by R. T. Harrell, and which is duly registered in the Register's office of Tipton county, Tennessee, in record book F, pages 201, 202 and 203, and to which reference is here made, and in pursuance of the terms thereof, and in pursuance to a decree of the Chancery Court of Memphis, entered March 27, 1868, in the cause of R. T. Harrell vs. Susan Brown et al., I will,

On Friday, the 8th day of May, 1868,

Proceed to sell between the hours of eleven o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock m., at public auction, in front of the Postoffice in Memphis, Tennessee, to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, described in said trust deed as follows: A certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, situate on the banks of the Mississippi river, adjoining the lands of John Trigg on the north, John and S. S. Alam on the west, and Potter's land on the east, and Samuel Benton's on the south, containing six hundred acres, it being the tract of land sold by Susan Brown to R. T. Harrell on the 18th of December, 1865; said deed of trust also conveys with the land all cattle and hogs, corn and cotton crops on the place, and all farming utensils and mechanics' tools, which will also be sold at the same time. There is a comfortable dwelling house, also other outhouses and buildings on the place, and is known as the plantation formerly belonging to Bedford Brown, Esq. The sale will be positive, as it is made for the payment of a balance due on the purchase notes.

Equity of redemption is waived. The title to said property is believed to be undisputed, but I will only sell and convey as trustee.

E. L. BELCHER.

For more particular information apply to BELCHER & BELCHER, Attorneys, Irving Block. apr7

No. 2578—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Hallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
HALLUM, CHALMERS & TURLEY, Solicitors for Complainant.
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Notice to Creditors.

No. 2521—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Post, until the further orders of the Court.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
By BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M. mh7

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of E. Stephenson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said E. Stephenson, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

April 7, 1868. J. W. DICKEY, Administrator.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of William Haney, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at the March term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

B. W. BROOKS.
mh29 Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

apr7 C. A. SCHAFER, Administratrix.

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of W. T. Donelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of W. T. Donelson with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. S. A. WILSON, Guardian.
Printer paid $5 00. apr

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of Heirs of Wm. F. Allen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of the said Heirs with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 4, 1868. MARY C. ALLEN, Guardian.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 24th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Reasonover, and duly noted on pages 470, 471 and 472 of Record book No. 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,

In front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: A one-sixth interest in three acres of land bought by F. M. Brewster of Mrs. S. Ragland, executrix, and S. B. Ragland, executor, of N Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 54, part second, pages 29, 30 and 31, and is therein described as lot No. 5, and the interest therein conveyed is the same conveyed by F. M. Brewster to Thomas J. Reasonover on the 25th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 356 and 357, May 11, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of metes and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee.

apr1 JOHN R REASONOVER, Trustee.

Attachment Notice.

R. A. Pruden vs. J. C. Gay, Before Michael Foley, J. P.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc.; and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis, on the 16th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and, where he can appear and defend said action, or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.

apr17 MICHAEL FOLEY, J. P.

Creditor's Notice.

No. 2485—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors or having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Company to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 11, 1868.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
ESTES, JACKSON, McDAVITT and E. BURKE PICKETT, Sols.
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Attachment Notice.

William Vesey and I. T. Cartwright, partners in trade, firm name and style of Vesey & Cartwright, vs. B. Cuneo.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, B. Cuneo; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr28 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

O. Woolridge, M. Woolridge and A. J. Pollack, partners in trade, firm name of Woolridge & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied etc.," on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr28 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

J. C. Holst, G. H. Holst and T. W. Holst, partners in trade, firm name of J. C. Holst & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance as administratrix of D. E. Lorance, deceased.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr28 JAMES HALL, J. P.

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Notice.

To whom it may Concern.

IN the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, on the first Monday of May, 1868, I will apply for the letters of administration on the estate of J. N. Taylor, deceased, in the County Court of said county.

apr22 S. ANDERSON.

To all whom it may Concern.

AT the May term of the County Court I will apply for the guardianship of Claudia Emma Mendenhall.

apr14 SAMUEL MENDENHALL.

Administratrix's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Daniel Moriarty, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Daniel Moriarty, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. MARY MORIARTY, Administratrix.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Notice.

I WILL, at the next term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Patrick Matthews, deceased.

DANIEL BREEN.
T. A. RYAN, Attorney for Breen. apr24

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Tax Ordinance.

CITY TAX.

BE it ordained, etc., That the City tax on all property assessed for the Forty-first Corporate Year, shall be and is hereby made as follows: One dollar and ten cents on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in administering the affairs of the city; fifty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of paying the interest on the past due indebtedness of the city; and twenty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the City Schools.

Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

Tax Payers Notice.

THE assessment of the Ninth and Tenth Wards has been made by the City Tax Assessors. The books, showing the valuation and names of owners of each lot, will be open for inspection and correction at the Mayor's Office, Exchange Building, through the next ten days. We would have property owners in these two new wards call and see that mistakes as to ownership are corrected.

JOHN PARK,
L. J. DUPRE,
J. M. PROVINE.

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Sanitary Ordinance.

WHEREAS, it is important to prevent the visitation of epidemic diseases to the city, and as the accumulation of filth of any kind in and around the premises of the inhabitants of the city is likely to endanger the health of the community; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis,

SECTION 1. That no occupant of any building or premises in the city of Memphis shall permit the accumulation of any filth, garbage or noxious substances upon said premises, but shall have the same removed at their expense.

SEC. 2. Said occupants shall not throw, or put into any street, public or private alley, any filth, garbage, or other noxious substances, or permit the same to flow from their premises.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Police, or any other member of the Police Force, to see that the above sections, one and two, are not violated; and if any filth, garbage, or other noxious substance is found in and around said premises, or near the same, in any street or alley, said occupant shall be required to remove the same within twenty-four hours; and in default thereof, said occupant shall be fined five dollars for each and every day said filth is permitted so to remain.

SEC. 4. The violation of the first and second section of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.

April 13, 1868. E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

Ordinance.

BE it ordained, etc., That the Sidewalk on each side of Shelby street, from Beale to south streets, be widened, so that hereafter said sidewalks shall be twelve feet; said widening to be done by the property owners, without cost to the city.

Passed first and final reading, by a suspension of the rules.
Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

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COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, EIGHTH DISTRICT TENNESSEE, MEMPHIS, April 11, 1868.

ON the FIFTH DAY OF MAY, 1868, I will sell, in front of the Internal Revenue Office, No. 16 Madison street, the following described property:

House and Lot 179 Second Street,

One Lot on North Side of Beale Street,

Fifty-five feet west of Lauderdale street, forty-five feet front and one hundred and fifty deep.

One Lot, one mile east of city of Memphis,

Beginning at northeast corner of lot 15, in subdivision C, in partition of estate of A. B. Carr, at a stake in Pigeon Roost road, 15° east 88 links from a poplar marked C; south 20 chains and 88 links to stake 9° west 184 links from a poplar marked H; north [illegible] west 7 chains and 88 links to P. Moosto's line; north 20 chains 88 links to Pigeon Roost road; south 87° east with said road 7 chains and 70 links to beginning—fourteen acres.

Also, one Lot on east side Thornton avenue,

Formerly owned by Phil. Garvin, and sold by him to John Gager; fronting said avenue 50 feet 4 inches on the line between William Cohn's line and said lot.

The above property seized as belonging to J. H. Wagoner to pay his taxes on monthly sales for the years of 1864, 1865 and 1866, and his income tax for the year 1866.

Said sale positive, unless taxes, penalties, interest and costs are paid before the hour of sale.

ROLFE S. SAUNDERS,
Collector Internal Revenue,
Eighth District Tennessee.

By JOHN MAGEE, Deputy Collector.

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